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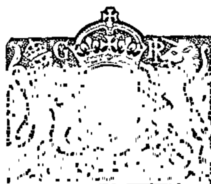
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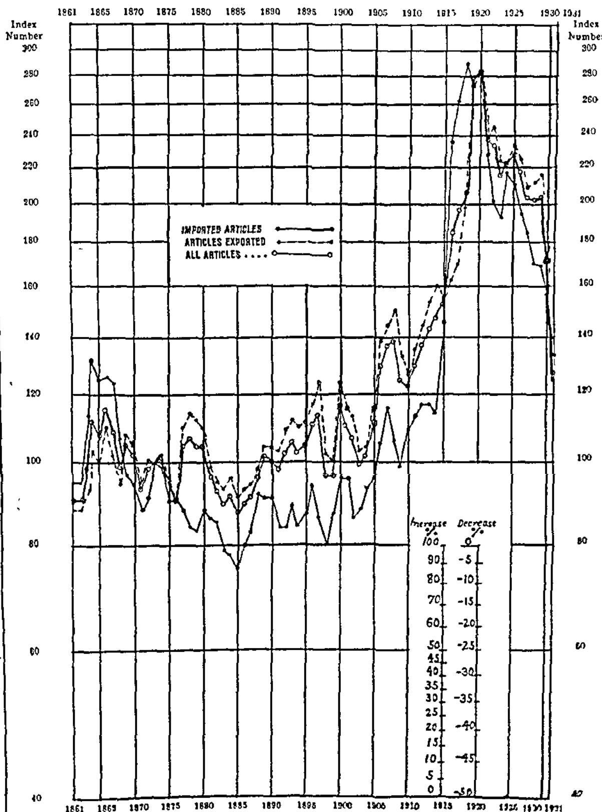
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II. INDEX NUMBERS OF PRICES IN INDIA, 1861 TO 1931 (RATIO METHOD)

ALL ARTICLES

(AVERAGE PRICE OF 1873=100)

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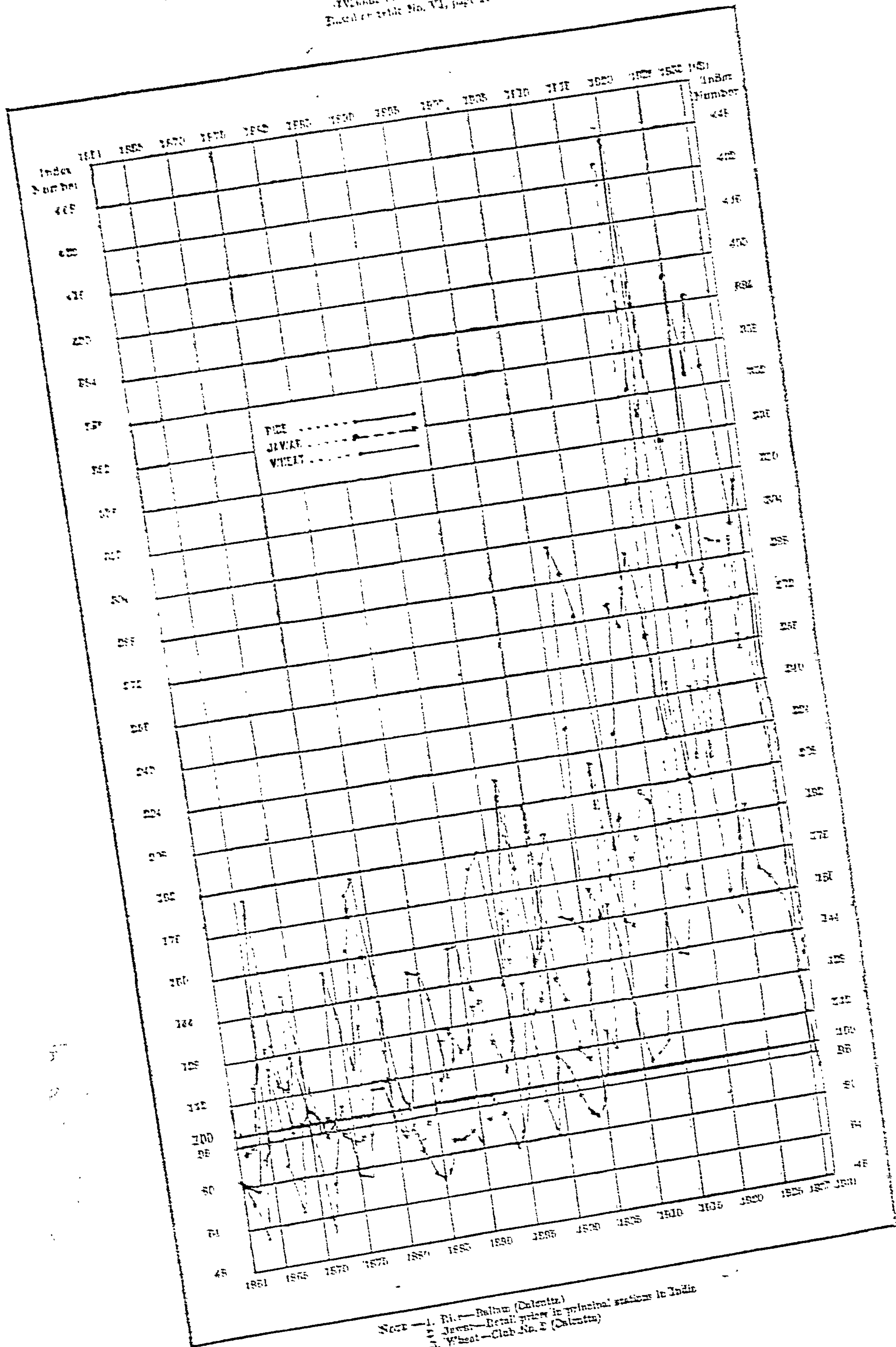
Note:—1 Imported articles = 11 articles (see page 19)
2 Articles exported = 25 articles (see page 19)
3. All articles = 39 articles (see page 19)

III. INDEX NUMBERS OF AVERAGE PRICES IN INDIA, 1861 TO 1921

FOOD-GRAINS

(AVERAGE PRICE OF 1873-1877 = 100)

Based on table No. VI, page 10



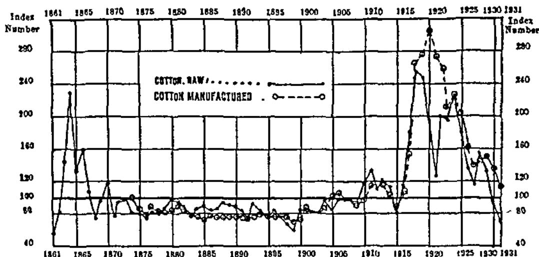
Note —1. Rice—Ballam (Calcutta.)
2. Jowar—Retail prices in principal stations in India
3. Wheat—Club No. 2 (Calcutta)

INDEX NUMBERS OF AVERAGE PRICES IN INDIA, 1861 TO 1931

IV.—COTTON, RAW, AND COTTON, MANUFACTURED

(AVERAGE PRICE OF 1873=100)

Based on table No VI, page 12



NOTE —1 Cotton, raw—Cotton Broach (Bombay)
2 Cotton, manufactured—T.Cloth (Bombay)

V.—JUTE, RAW, AND JUTE, MANUFACTURED

Index Number

JUTE, RAW

JUTE, MANUFACTURED

1861 1865 1870 1875 1880 1885 1890 1895 1900 1905 1910 1915 1920 1925 1930 1931

600 560 520 480 440 400 360 320 280 240 200 160 120 100 80 40

PREFATORY NOTE

In reprinting the volume (third issue) the opportunity has been taken to include the figures for later years, 1927 to 1930, which were issued in annual addenda and the figures for 1931 as well. The charts have also been brought up-to-date.

2. The first portion of the volume (pages 1 to 4) consists of four summary tables showing index numbers of prices from 1861 to 1931, the figure for 1873 being taken as the standard or base (100). This year was considered to be a year of normal character, and it was the year when silver began to fall consequent on the general demonetisation of silver by Germany and other countries. Summary table I shows (*i*) the unweighted index numbers of prices of (*a*) exported articles, (*b*) imported articles, and (*c*) all articles combined, and (*ii*) the weighted index numbers. Summary table II states the percentage of increase or decrease in the index numbers of prices for each year, compared with those for the preceding year, in respect of (*a*) exported articles, (*b*) imported articles, and (*c*) all articles. Summary table III shows unweighted index numbers of retail prices of food-grains in India, and summary table IV exhibits the percentage of increase or decrease for each year compared with those for the preceding year in respect of retail prices in the preceding table.

3 The second portion of this volume contains a series of general tables (Nos. V to IX) Table V shows the average prices of each article from 1861 to 1931 and table VI their unweighted index numbers. Table VII states the retail prices of food-grains from 1861 to 1931. Table VIII compares the gold prices in India with those in certain foreign countries from 1890 to 1931, the average for the quinquennium 1890-1894 being taken as 100. Table IX shows the prices of bar silver in Bombay and the rates of exchange from 1873-74 to 1931-32.

The third portion of the publication contains three appendices (A to C). Appendices A and B contain lists of the articles included in the index numbers and the sources of the price quotations on which the index numbers are based. Appendix C explains the construction of weighted index numbers.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE AND STATISTICS, INDIA :

Calcutta, the 14th July 1933.

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SUMMARY TABLE I.

Index Numbers of Prices in India

(Price in 1873=100)

Year	Exported articles (29) (Unweighted)	Imported articles (11) (Unweighted)	General index number for all (39) articles (Unweighted)	Weighted* In number (1 articles) equa to 100 for 18
1861	88	95	**90**	93
1862	88	95	**90**	93
1863	93	113	**98**	97
1864	103	132	**111**	105
1865	100	125	**107**	109
1866	110	126	**115**	124
1867	102	124	**108**	118
1868	94	107	**98**	107
1869	108	97	**105**	118
1870	105	95	**102**	107
1871	95	88	**93**	93
1872	101	91	**98**	98
1873	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**
1874	102	99	**101**	108
1875	95	90	**94**	96
1876	90	91	**90**	100
1877	110	88	**104**	129
1878	114	84	**108**	138
1879	112	83	**104**	126
1880	110	88	**104**	109
1881	99	86	**96**	99
1882	95	85	**92**	98
1883	93	79	**89**	99
1884	96	78	**91**	107
1885	91	75	**87**	106
1886	93	80	**89**	103
1887	94	83	**91**	104
1888	98	92	**96**	111
1889	104	91	**101**	117
1890	104	91	**100**	117
1891	103	84	**98**	120
1892	109	84	**102**	132
1893	112	89	**105**	129
1894	110	84	**102**	122
1895	111	87	**104**	120
1896	117	94	**110**	131
1897	124	86	**113**	153
1898	102	80	**96**	125
1899	100	87	**96**	121
1900	124	96	**116**	143
1901	116	96	**110**	139
1902	113	86	**106**	128
1903	103	88	**99**	122
1904	104	93	**101**	121
1905	116	96	**110**	135
1906	139	105	**129**	158
1907	145	116	**137**	167
1908	151	106	**138**	179
1909	133	99	**124**	160
1910	127	109	**122**	150
1911	136	113	**129**	153
1912	145	117	**137**	174
1913	154	117	**143**	182
1914	160	114	**147**	187
1915	155	146	**152**	182
1916	163	236	**184**	183
1917	170	262	**196**	180
1918	199	289	**225**	215
1919	277	274	**276**	301
1920	281	280	**281**	302
1921	239	228	**236**	273
1922	245	201	**232**	266
1923	224	193	**215**	250
1924	222	217	**221**	257
1925	233	211	**227**	263
1926	225	195	**216**	260
1927	209	185	**207**	258
1928	212	171	**201**	261
1929	216	170	**203**	254
1930	177	157	**171**	213
1931	125	134	**127**	157

NOTE 1.—These index numbers are for wholesale prices except in the case of cereals—jowar, bajra, barley, ragi, and the pulse gram wholesale prices of these articles not being available before 1897.
2.—For the list of "imported articles" and "exported articles," see Appendix A, page 19.
*Vide Appendix C, page 22.

SUMMARY TABLE II.

Percentage of increase or decrease in the Index Numbers of Prices in India for each year, compared with those for the preceding year.

Year	Articles Exported: Index Numbers (Price in 1873=100)	Articles Exported: Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) compared with the preceding year	Articles Imported: Index Numbers (Price in 1873=100)	Articles Imported: Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) compared with the preceding year	All Articles: Index Numbers (Price in 1873=100)	All Articles: Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) compared with the preceding year
1861	88	..	95	..	90	..
1862	88	*Nil*	95	*Nil*	90	*Nil*
1863	93	+5·7	113	+18·9	98	+8·9
1864	103	+10·8	132	+16·8	111	+13·3
1865	100	—2·9	125	—5·3	107	—3·6
1866	110	+10	126	+0·8	115	+7·5
1867	102	—7·3	124	—1·6	108	—6·1
1868	94	—7·8	107	—13·7	98	—9·3
1869	108	+14·9	97	—9·3	105	+7·1
1870	105	—2·8	95	—2·1	102	—2·9
1871	95	—9·5	88	—7·4	93	—8·8
1872	101	+6·3	91	+3·4	98	+5·4
1873	100	—1	100	+9·9	100	+2
1874	102	+2	99	—1	101	+1
1875	95	—6·9	90	—9·1	94	—6·9
1876	90	—5·3	91	+1·1	90	—4·3
1877	110	+22·2	88	—3·3	104	+15·6
1878	114	+3·6	84	—4·5	106	+1·9
1879	112	—1·8	83	—1·2	104	—1·9
1880	110	—1·8	88	+6	104	*Nil*
1881	99	—10	86	—2·3	96	—7·7
1882	95	—4	85	—1·2	92	—4·2
1883	93	—2·1	79	—7·1	89	—3·3
1884	96	+3·2	78	—1·3	91	+2·2
1885	91	—5·2	75	—3·8	87	—4·4
1886	93	+2·2	80	+6·7	89	+2·3
1887	94	+1·1	83	+3·7	91	+2·2
1888	98	+4·3	92	+10·8	96	+5·5
1889	104	+6·1	91	—1·1	101	+5·2
1890	104	*Nil*	91	*Nil*	100	—1
1891	103	—1	84	—7·7	98	—2
1892	109	+5·8	84	*Nil*	102	+4·1
1893	112	+2·8	89	+6	105	+2·9
1894	110	—1·8	84	—5·6	102	—2·9
1895	111	+0·9	87	+3·6	104	+2
1896	117	+5·4	94	+8	110	+5·8
1897	124	+6	86	—8·5	113	+2·7
1898	102	—17·7	80	—7	96	—15
1899	100	—2	87	+8·7	96	*Nil*
1900	124	+24	96	+10·3	116	+20·8

Year	Articles Exported: Index Numbers (Price in 1873=100)	Articles Exported: Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) compared with the preceding year	Articles Imported: Index Numbers (Price in 1873=100)	Articles Imported: Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) compared with the preceding year	All Articles: Index Numbers (Price in 1873=100)	All Articles: Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) compared with the preceding year
1901	116	—6·5	96	*Nil*	110	—5·2
1902	113	—2·6	86	—10·4	106	—3·6
1903	103	—8·8	88	+2·3	99	—6·6
1904	104	+1	93	+5·7	101	+2
1905	116	+11·5	96	+3·2	110	+8·9
1906	139	+19·8	105	+9·4	129	+17·3
1907	145	+4·3	116	+10·5	137	+6·2
1908	151	+4·1	106	—8·6	138	+0·7
1909	133	—11·9	99	—6·6	124	—10·1
1910	127	—4·5	109	+10·1	122	—1·6
1911	136	+7·1	113	+3·7	129	+5·7
1912	145	+6·6	117	+3·5	137	+6·2
1913	154	+6·2	117	*Nil*	143	+4·4
1914	160	+3·9	114	—2·6	147	+2·8
1915	155	—3·1	146	+28·1	152	+3·4
1916	163	+5·2	236	+61·6	184	+21·1
1917	170	+4·3	262	+11	196	+6·5
1918	199	+17·1	289	+10·3	225	+14·8
1919	277	+39·2	274	—5·2	276	+22·7
1920	281	+1·4	280	+2·2	281	+1·8
1921	239	—14·9	228	—18·6	236	—16
1922	245	+2·5	201	—11·8	232	—1·7
1923	224	—8·6	193	—4	215	—7·3
1924	222	—0·9	217	+12·4	221	+2·8
1925	233	+5	211	—2·8	227	+2·7
1926	225	—3·4	195	—7·6	216	—4·8
1927	209	—7·1	185	—5·1	202	—6·5
1928	212	+1·4	171	—7·6	201	—0·5
1929	216	+1·9	170	—0·6	203	+1
1930	177	—18·1	157	—7·6	171	—15·8
1931	125	—29·4	134	—14·6	127	—25·7

SUMMARY TABLE III.

Index Numbers (unweighted) of Retail Prices of Food-grains in India (Price in 1873=100).

Year	Percentages of the prices of 1873							Index number of the retail prices of food-grains
	Rice	Wheat	Jowar	Bajra	Gram	Barley	Ragi	
1861	90	86	108	97	81	88	126	97
1862	75	73	93	86	65	55	121	81
1863	79	80	96	95	68	58	126	88
1864	96	102	118	124	86	71	141	105
1865	128	115	124	193	105	92	154	120
1866	155	129	131	119	126	94	204	137
1867	129	101	117	116	113	82	270	133
1868	110	96	115	118	117	94	162	116
1869	129	148	150	161	193	146	115	149
1870	109	136	125	124	153	108	107	123
1871	93	90	96	107	109	85	64	92
1872	87	98	101	111	106	96	66	95
1873	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**
1874	118	94	95	97	92	98	108	100
1875	102	81	90	89	80	82	115	91
1876	114	78	92	88	69	72	169	97
1877	133	102	134	128	92	88	330	144
1878	159	147	179	177	176	128	251	174
1879	154	158	160	160	177	140	108	160
1880	121	118	112	117	127	108	126	118
1881	*96*	*96*	*91*	*98*	*100*	*91*	*99*	96
1882	96	101	91	99	93	86	99	95
1883	110	103	87	95	89	85	96	95
1884	135	91	93	94	88	86	103	99
1885	137	89	98	95	88	77	118	100
1886	128	103	109	108	94	85	110	105
1887	123	121	123	122	114	115	98	117
1888	131	123	127	137	123	126	96	123
1889	148	118	118	126	113	106	101	119
1890	147	117	119	117	121	115	110	121
1891	150	137	134	136	131	130	138	137
1892	179	151	136	140	126	130	177	148
1893	162	127	120	121	112	112	146	129
1894	152	105	109	115	96	90	133	114
1895	143	116	119	117	118	111	118	120
1896	162	153	149	161	164	170	128	155
1897	207	206	211	204	246	206	181	209
1898	158	143	128	127	134	111	174	139
1899	145	140	133	138	138	122	142	137
1900	171	176	207	196	206	174	214	192
1901	180	160	140	133	152	129	208	157
1902	165	142	131	131	132	127	156	141
1903	160	129	112	112	124	122	123	126
1904	147	123	108	107	107	103	124	117
1905	169	142	136	143	136	127	178	147
1906	209	155	172	173	168	154	225	179
1907	229	168	161	149	170	163	219	180
1908	254	226	218	204	232	218	242	231
1909	220	203	175	166	186	165	247	195
1910	198	170	158	156	140	133	218	168
1911	199	153	156	160	131	131	200	161
1912	230	170	181	193	152	167	272	189
1913	255	177	188	184	170	174	242	199
1914	254	200	206	207	226	204	257	222
1915	246	227	201	212	220	212	210	218
1916	234	193	175	199	198	203	204	201
1917	215	205	193	188	197	190	223	202
1918	228	270	321	311	231	234	272	270
1919	357	341	437	434	396	319	505	398
1920	376	310	344	333	359	277	509	358
1921	355	360	392	401	406	325	398	375
1922	326	315	287	318	328	277	358	316
1923	308	356	214	232	190	181	333	259
1924	335	246	239	239	193	207	340	263
1925	352	294	243	294	241	269	347	287
1926	359	291	295	310	274	276	324	303
1927	368	267	293	274	280	259	353	299
1928	357	264	253	257	295	272	356	293
1929	336	262	294	312	340	284	347	311
1930	273	177	207	211	232	155	262	217
1931	159	126	134	126	148	112	102	

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Percentage of increase or decrease in the Index Numbers of Prices in India for each year, compare with those for the preceding year.

Year	Articles Exported: Index Numbers (Price in 1873=100)	Articles Exported: Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) compared with the preceding year	Articles Imported: Index Numbers (Price in 1873=100)	Articles Imported: Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) compared with the preceding year	All Articles: Index Numbers (Price in 1873=100)	All Articles: Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) compared with the preceding year
1861	88	..	95	..	90	..
1862	88	*Nil*	95	*Nil*	90	*Nil*
1863	93	+5·7	113	+18·9	98	+8·9
1864	103	+10·8	132	+16·8	111	+13·3
1865	100	—2·9	125	—5·3	107	—3·6
1866	110	+10	126	+0·8	115	+7·5
1867	102	—7·3	124	—1·6	108	—6·1
1868	94	—7·8	107	—13·7	98	—9·3
1869	108	+14·9	97	—9·3	105	+7·1
1870	105	—2·8	95	—2·1	102	—2·9
1871	95	—9·5	88	—7·4	93	—8·8
1872	101	+6·3	91	+3·4	98	+5·4
1873	100	—1	100	+9·9	100	+2
1874	102	+2	99	—1	101	+1
1875	95	—6·9	90	—9·1	94	—6·9
1876	90	—5·3	91	+1·1	90	—4·3
1877	110	+22·2	88	—3·3	104	+15·6
1878	114	+3·6	84	—4·5	106	+1·9
1879	112	—1·8	83	—1·2	104	—1·9
1880	110	—1·8	88	+6	104	*Nil*
1881	99	—10	86	—2·3	96	—7·7
1882	95	—4	85	—1·2	92	—4·2
1883	93	—2·1	79	—7·1	89	—3·3
1884	96	+3·2	78	—1·3	91	+2·2
1885	91	—5·2	75	—3·8	87	—4·4
1886	93	+2·2	80	+6·7	89	+2·3
1887	94	+1·1	83	+3·7	91	+2·2
1888	98	+4·3	92	+10·8	96	+5·5
1889	104	+6·1	91	—1·1	101	+5·2
1890	104	*Nil*	91	*Nil*	100	—1
1891	103	—1	84	—7·7	98	—2
1892	109	+5·8	84	*Nil*	102	+4·1
1893	112	+2·8	89	+6	105	+2·9
1894	110	—1·8	84	—5·6	102	—2·9
1895	111	+0·9	87	+3·6	104	+2
1896	117	+5·4	94	+8	110	+5·8
1897	124	+6	86	—8·5	113	+2·7
1898	102	—17·7	80	—7	96	—15
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1905	116	+11·5	96	+3·2	110	+8·9
1906	139	+19·8	105	+9·4	129	+17·3
1907	145	+4·3	116	+10·5	137	+6·2
1908	151	+4·1	106	—8·6	138	+0·7
1909	133	—11·9	99	—6·6	124	—10·1
1910	127	—4·5	109	+10·1	122	—1·6
1911	136	+7·1	113	+3·7	129	+5·7
1912	145	+6·6	117	+3·5	137	+6·2
1913	154	+6·2	117	*Nil*	143	+4·4
1914	160	+3·9	114	—2·6	147	+2·8
1915	155	—3·1	146	+28·1	152	+3·4
1916	163	+5·2	236	+61·6	184	+21·1
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1922	245	+2·5	201	—11·8	232	—1·7
1923	224	—8·6	193	—4	215	—7·3
1924	222	—0·9	217	+12·4	221	+2·8
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1926	225	—3·4	195	—7·6	216	—4·8
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Index Numbers (unweighted) of Retail Prices of Food-grains in India (Price in 1873=100).

Year	Percentages of the prices of 1873							Index number of the retail prices of food-grains
	Rice	Wheat	Jowar	Bajra	Gram	Barley	Ragi	
1861	90	86	108	97	81	88	126	**97**
1862	75	73	93	86	63	55	121	**81**
1863	79	80	96	95	68	58	126	**86**
1864	96	102	118	124	86	71	141	**105**
1865	128	115	124	193	105	92	154	**120**
1866	155	129	131	119	126	94	204	**137**
1867	129	101	117	116	113	82	270	**133**
1868	110	96	115	118	117	94	162	**116**
1869	129	148	150	161	193	146	115	**149**
1870	109	136	125	124	153	108	107	**123**
1871	93	90	96	107	109	85	64	**92**
1872	87	98	101	111	106	98	66	**95**
1873	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**
1874	118	94	95	97	92	98	108	**100**
1875	102	81	90	89	80	82	115	**91**
1876	114	78	92	88	69	72	169	**97**
1877	133	102	134	128	92	88	330	**144**
1878	159	147	179	177	176	128	251	**174**
1879	154	158	160	160	177	140	168	**160**
1880	121	118	112	117	127	108	126	**118**
1881	96	96	91	98	100	91	99	**96**
1882	96	101	91	99	93	86	99	**95**
1883	110	103	87	95	89	85	96	**95**
1884	135	91	93	94	88	86	103	**99**
1885	137	89	98	95	88	77	118	**100**
1886	128	103	109	108	94	85	110	**105**
1887	123	121	123	122	114	115	98	**117**
1888	131	123	127	137	123	126	96	**123**
1889	148	118	118	126	113	106	101	**119**
1890	147	117	119	117	121	115	110	**121**
1891	150	137	134	136	131	130	138	**137**
1892	179	151	136	140	120	130	177	**148**
1893	162	127	120	121	112	112	146	**129**
1894	152	105	109	115	96	90	133	**114**
1895	143	116	119	117	118	111	118	**120**
1896	162	153	149	161	164	170	128	**155**
1897	207	206	211	204	246	206	191	**209**
1898	158	143	128	127	134	111	174	**139**
1899	145	140	133	138	138	122	142	**137**
1900	171	176	207	196	206	174	214	**192**
1901	180	160	140	133	152	129	208	**157**
1902	165	142	131	131	132	127	156	**141**
1903	160	129	112	112	124	122	123	**126**
1904	147	123	108	107	107	103	124	**117**
1905	169	142	136	143	136	127	178	**147**
1906	209	155	172	173	168	154	225	**179**
1907	229	168	161	149	170	163	219	**180**
1908	254	226	218	204	252	218	242	**231**
1909	220	203	175	166	186	165	247	**195**
1910	198	170	158	156	140	133	218	**168**
1911	199	153	156	160	131	131	200	**161**
1912	230	170	181	193	152	167	232	**189**
1913	255	177	188	184	170	174	242	**199**
1914	234	200	206	207	226	204	257	**222**
1915	246	227	201	212	220	212	210	**218**
1916	234	193	175	199	198	203	204	**201**
1917	215	205	193	188	197	190	223	**202**
1918	228	270	321	311	251	234	272	**270**
1919	357	341	437	434	396	319	505	**398**
1920	376	310	344	333	350	277	509	**358**
1921	355	300	392	401	406	325	398	**375**
1922	326	315	287	318	328	277	358	**316**
1923	308	356	214	232	190	181	333	**259**
1924	335	246	239	239	195	207	380	**263**
1925	352	294	283	294	241	209	347	**297**
1926	359	281	295	310	274	276	324	**303**
1927	368	267	293	274	280	259	353	**299**
1928	357	264	253	257	295	272	356	**293**
1929	336	262	294	312	340	294	347	**311**
1930	273	177	207	211	232	155	262	**217**
1931	189	126	134	126	148	112	169	**143**

SUMMARY TABLE IV.

Percentage of increase or decrease in the Index Numbers of Retail Prices of Food-grains for each year, compared with those for the preceding year.

Year	Index Numbers (Price in 1873 = 100)	Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) compared with the preceding year	Year	Index Numbers (Price in 1873 = 100)	Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) compared with the preceding year
1861	97	..	1898	139	—33·5
1862	81	—16·5	1899	137	—1·4
1863	86	—6·2	1900*	192	+40·1
1864	105	+22·1	1901	157	—18·2
1865	120	+14·3	1902	141	—10·2
1866	137	+14·2	1903	126	—10·6
1867	133	—2·9	1904	117	—7·1
1868	116	—12·8	1905	147	+25·6
1869*	149	+28·4	1906	179	+21·8
1870	123	—17·5	1907	180	+0·6
1871	92	—25·2	1908*	231	+28·3
1872	95	—3·3	1909	195	—15·6
1873	100	+5·3	1910	168	—13·8
1874	100	*Nil*	1911	161	—4·2
1875	91	—9			
1876	97	+6·6	1912	189	+17·4
1877*	144	+48·5	1913	199	+5·3
1878	174	+20·8			
1879	160	—8	1914	222	+11·6
1880	118	—26·3	1915	218	—1·8
1881	96	—18·6			
1882	95	—1	1916	201	—7·8
1883	95	*Nil*	1917	202	+0·5
1884	99	+4·2	1918	270	+33·7
1885	100	+1	1919	398	+47·4
1886	105	+5	1920	358	—10
1887	117	+11·4	1921	375	+4·7
1888	123	+5·1	1922	316	—15·7
1889	119	—3·3	1923	259	—18
1890	121	+1·7	1924	263	+1·5
1891	137	+13·2	1925	297	+12·9
1892	148	+8	1926	303	+2
1893	129	—12·8	1927	299	—1·3
1894	114	—11·6	1928	293	—2
1895	120	+5·3	1929	311	+6·1
1896*	155	+29·2	1930	217	—30·2
1897*	209	+34·8	1931	143	—34·1

* Famine year.

General Tables.

TABLE V

Average prices of each article, 1861—1931.*

Year	Exported Articles: 1 Rice: Moonzhy	Ballam	Average		2 Wheat: Doodiah or Club		Delhi No 1	Other Food Grains†: 3 Jowar per rupee	4 Bajri per rupee	5 Gram per rupee	6 Barley per rupee	7 Ragi per rupee
	R a p	R a p	R a p	R a p	R a p	R a p	R a p	Seers	Seers	Seers	Seers	Seers
1861	1 14 3	1 12 0	1 13 1	..	2 12 0			23 17	23 05	29 39	30 75	24 2
1862	1 12 6	1 11 6	1 12 0		2 7 6			26 77	25 97	36 5	45 47	25 2
1863	1 9 3	1 10 6	1 9 11		2 1 0			26 03	23 65	34 91	46 74	24 1
1864	2 3 10	2 4 0	2 3 5		3 1 0			21 12	18 08	27 64	38 16	21 6
1865	2 10 9	2 12 0	2 11 4		3 4 0			20 23	19 25	23 57	29 4	19 75
1866	3 14 0	4 0 0	3 15 0		4 3 0			19 09	19 82	18 91	28 66	14 93
1867	2 12 0	2 13 0	2 12 6		2 15 0	33 8 0		21 39	19 31	20 09	32 85	11 25
1868	2 5 0	2 1 6	2 2 3		2 5 0	38 0 0		21 7	18 95	20 39	23 79	19 75
1869	2 7 6	2 11 0	2 9 3		3 7 0	36 4 0		16 59	15 87	13 34	18 45	26 45
1870	2 3 6	2 4 6	2 4 0	2 5 1	3 9 6	35 12 0		20·07	18 03	15 61	24 98	29 49
1871	2 2 6	2 3 0	2 2 9	2 2 3	2 0 0	19 8 0	30 0 0	26 22	20 92	21 93	31 65	47 53
1872	2 1 0	2 0 6	2 0 9	2 0 3	2 10 0	29 8 0	29 8 0	24 77	20 08	22 48	27 93	40 25
1873	2 4 0	2 2 0	2 3 0	2 12 2	3 6 0	34 0 0	34 8 0	25 02	22 36	23·31	27 02	30 43
1874	3 8 6	3 5 0	3 6 9	2 12 8	3 9 6	26 0 0	26 0 0	26 22	22 08	26	27 47	28 17
1875	3 6 0	2 15 0	3 2 6	3 11 7	2 11 0	25 0 0	28 4 0	27 8	24 99	23 75	32 77	26 38
1876	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 9 6	25 10 0	28 2 0	27 22	25 46	34 65	37 57	19 01
1877	3 7 0	3 7 6	3 7 3	3 10 6	3 2 6	33 11 0	31 8 0	18 65	17 45	25 98	30 78	9 23
1878	3 13 6	3 14 6	3 14 0	3 14 1	3 11 6	39 2 0	39 8 0	14 96	12 65	13 49	21 04	12 14
1879	4 3 6	4 0 6	4 2 0	4 2 7	3 11 6	45 0 0	38 12 0	15 66	14 08	13 44	19 25	18·09
1880	3 0 0	3 0 6	3 0 3	3 3 8	3 5 6	38 12 0	35 10 0	22 32	19 1	18 81	24 98	24 13
1881	2 0 0	2 3 3	2 1 7	3 6 5	3 1 0	27 0 0	32 2 0	27 54	22 74	23 92	29 78	30 71
1882	2 0 0	2 1 9	2 1 1	3 1 0	3 2 9	30 8 0	33 2 0	27 47	22 65	25 73	31 5	30 83
1883	2 9 3	2 7 0	2 8 1	3 8 10	2 13 6	30 12 0	30 12 0	23 8	23 42	26 86	31 77	31 67
1884	3 3 6	3 3 3	3 3 4	3 7 10	2 8 6	24 8 0	27 12 0	26 85	23 99	27 06	31 46	29 63
1885	3 5 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 7	2 7 1	23 6 0	25 6 0	25 59	23 44	27 07	34 91	25 73
1886	2 14 6	2 15 9	2 15 1	3 7 5	2 8 6	30 4 0	3 15 6	22 98	20 66	25 31	31 97	27 67
1887	2 5 6	2 5 6	2 5 6	3 8 7	2 14 0	32 14 0	4 4 3	20 32	18 35	20 9	29 59	31·07
1888	2 8 3	2 7 6	2 7 10	3 13 11	2 13 9	35 0 0	4 5 0	19 69	18 38	19 38	21 5	31 81
1889	3 4 3	3 5 9	3 5 0	3 14 10	2 15 6	34 0 0	4 10 6	21 24	17 74	21 14	25 46	30 24
1890	3 7 0	3 6 0	3 6 6	3 9 9	2 12 6	31 4 0	4 4 6	21 05	19 13	19 75	23 47	27 77
1891	3 5 0	3 0 0	3 2 6	4 5 1	3 1 0	33 4 0	4 9 6	18 01	16 42	18 22	20 84	22 07
1892	3 12 6	3 12 1	3 12 3	4 12 3	3 6 3	38 8 0	5 0 0	18 41	16 02	18 9	20 78	17 19
1893	4 4 0	3 15 6	4 1 9	3 12 9	3 1 10	34 0 0	4 7 9	20 84	18 5	21 26	24 19	20 83
1894	4 0 0	4 1 9	4 0 10	3 8 5	2 10 9	33 10 0	3 15 4	22 88	19 51	24 79	29 9	22 82
1895	3 8 3	3 0 0	3 4 1	3 7 1	2 13 6	35 8 0	4 2 6	21 04	19 07	20 17	24 4	25 73
1896	3 9 6	3 9 3	3 9 4	3 11 4	3 7 3	33 0 0	4 6 3	16 79	13 92	14 52	15 9	23 83
1897	5 7 0	4 10 3	5 0 10	4 8 5	4 12 0	52 8 0	6 14 3	11 84	10 98	9 7	14 1	16 74
1898	4 2 0	3 14 6	4 0 3	3 7 9	3 3 6	52 0 0	4 13 1	19 53	17 58	17 74	24 41	17 51
1899	3 0 3	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 6 4	2 11 9	36 4 0	3 15 9	19 84	16 16	17 27	22 15	21 46
1900	3 6 3	3 4 9	3 5 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	37 0 0	5 10 3	12 08	11 4	11 54	15 57	14 22
1901	3 14 3	3 14 3	3 14 3	3 5 11	3 9 0	36 8 0	4 9 6	17 84	16 83	15 71	21·02	14 65
1902	4 3 3	4 2 3	4 2 9	3 4 2	3 3 6	30 12 0	4 10 9	19 14	17 07	17 97	21 25	19 49
1903	3 9 9	3 7 6	3 8 7	4 2 10	2 15 3	31 0 0	4 5 0	22 25	19 89	19 16	22 1	24 73
1904	3 11 6	3 7 3	3 9 4	3 7 2	2 14 6	31 0 0	4 2 6	23 22	20 8	22 18	26 17	24 57
1905	3 8 0	3 5 6	3 6 9	3 12 1	3 1 0	31 2 0	4 7 3	18 41	15 63	18 03	21 33	17 12
1906	4 14 0	4 15 3	4 14 7	4 5 3	3 15 6	33 8 0	4 14 6	14 51	12 9	14 21	17 35	13 52
1907		6 6 3	6 6 3	4 13 4	3 13 0	32 0 0	4 13 0	13 35	15 04	11 04	16 57	13 91
1908	6 2 0	6 2 9	6 2 4	5 2 10	5 9 0	46 8 0	6 7 3	11 44	10 91	9 46	12 33	12 59
1909		5 13 0	5 13 0	4 5 3	5 0 6	49 0 0	5 15 0	14 29	14 40	12 78	16 35	12 3
1910	3 2 0	3 15 0	3 6 6	3 15 1	4 2 0	40 8 0	5 6 0	15 8	14 31	17 02	20 3	13 98
1911	4 0 0	4 2 6	4 1 3	4 11 0	3 7 6	34 8 0	4 12 6	15 99	13 97	14 21	20 65	15 18
1912	3 15 6	4 13 6	4 6 6	6 9 2	3 9 0	36 0 0	3 6 9	13 82	11 6	15 64	16·17	13 11
1913	4 8 0	5 14 0	5 3 0	5 0 7	3 11 6	37 8 0	5 8 6	11 31	12 14	14 04	15 39	12 58
1914	4 14 0	5 11 0	5 4 6	4 8 10½	4 6 0	42 0 0	5 12 9	12 16	10 79	10 54	13 25	11 82
1915	.	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 11 2	5 6 0	50 8 0	6 12 7½	12 45	10 56	10 82	12 72	14 51
1916		6 4 0	6 4 0	4 1 7½	4 13 0	41 0 0	6 5 0	14 26	11 26	12·04	13 34	14·92
1917	4 7 0	5 11 0	5 1 0	3 12 1	4 12 6	44 8 0	6 10 0	12 97	11 87	12·06	14 19	13 67
1918	3 8 0	4 12 0	4 2 0	3 8 0	5 9 6	73 0 0	7 8 4½	7 79	7 18	9 49	11 53	11 17
1919	6 6 0	7 8 6	6 15 6	5 5 9½	9 3 6	82 0 0	10 11 0	5 72	5 13	6 03	8 47	6 03
1920	7 4 0	9 8 0	8 6 0	6 14 10	7 0 0	65 0 0	9 12 8½	7 25	6 71	6 65	9·71	5·04
1921	6 14 0	8 3 0	7 8 6	7 0 8	7 4 0	67 8 0	9 14 6	6 39	5 57	5 87	8 32	7 84
1922	6 4 0	7 2 0	6 11 0	7 2 0	8 2 0	117 8 0	11 8 0	8 72	7 04	7 27	9 71	8 51
1923	4 15 0	6 6 6	5 10 9	6 6 6	5 7 3	75 0 0	7 5 1½	11 67	9 65	12 5	14 92	9 14
1924	5 13 0	5 13 0	5 14 0	7 3 2	5 3 0	72 8 0	7 3 1	10 45	9 74	12 21	13·06	8
1925	6 1 6	6 6 0	7 3 6	7 6 1	6 2 6	74 0 0	6 1 6	8 94	7 61	9 9	19 05	8 75
1926	5 8 0	7 9 0	6 15 6	7 4 4	4 9 0	73 8 0	8 10 9	6·47	7 22	8 7	9 79	9·6
1927	6 5 0	9 3 0	7 4 0	6 12 0	5 11 6	93 8 0	7 8 10½	8 54	8 16	8·49	10 45	8 61
1928	(e)6 6 0	7 10 0	7 3 6	6 3 2½	5 9 6	77 8 0	(f)7 3 3	9 87	8 70	8 06	9 95	8 54
1929	5 14 0	6 6 0	6 2 0	6 4 0	(g)5 6 0	95 0 0	(e)8 4 0	8 52	7 17	7·09	9 52	8 70
1930	4 15 0	6 11 0	5 13 0	5 7 10½	4 13 0	75 0 0	(g)5 1 0	12 30	10·60	10·27	17 48	11·60
1931	3 11 0	4 8 6	4 1 9	3 0 5½	3 1 0	56 0 0	3 5 6	19 74	17 74	16 10	24 22	18 01

TABLE V—*continued*

Average prices of each article, 1861—1931—continued

Year	EXPORTED ARTICLES—*contd.*											
	8 Sugar		9 Tea					Seeds				
								11 Linseed				
	Dulloah (Calcutta) per bazar maund (82 2/7 lb) (a)	Cane jaggery (Madras) per candy of 500 lb	Pekoe (Calcutta) per lb (b)	Souchong (Calcutta) per lb (c)	Congou (Calcutta) per lb (d)	Average	10 Ghi (Calcutta) per bazar maund (82 2/7 lb)	Bold (Calcutta) per bazar maund (82 2/7 lb) (e)	Bold (Bombay) per cwt	12 Rape (Calcutta) per bazar maund (82 2/7 lb)	13 Sesamum or til (Calcutta) per bazar maund (82 2/7 lb)	14 Poppy (Calcutta) per bazar maund (82 2/7 lb)
	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.
1861	7 10 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	3 10 0	5 0 0	4 4 0	3 8 0	4 1 0
1862	8 8 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	3 12 6	6 0 0	3 15 0	3 15 6	4 4 0
1863	6 15 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 1 0	6 2 0	3 10 0	4 1 0	3 14 6
1864	7 14 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 2 6	5 9 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	3 14 6
1865	8 5 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 1 6	5 12 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 5 6
1866	7 8 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 13 9	6 11 3	3 11 0	4 10 0	4 0 0
1867	7 6 0	31 8 0	..	..	..	..	..	4 11 0	7 3 0	3 0 6	4 15 0	4 0 0
1868	6 14 0	21 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	4 9 0	6 1 0	3 5 0	4 9 0	3 12 0
1869	8 2 0	29 4 0	..	..	..	..	..	4 13 6	6 1 6	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 11 6
1870	6 8 0	26 6 0	..	..	..	..	..	4 12 6	6 4 0	4 11 0	4 8 6	4 5 6
1871	5 14 0	24 0 0	0 13 0	0 12 0	0 10 0	0 11 8	32 0 0	4 7 6	5 14 0	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 4 0
1872	6 0 0	24 0 0	0 12 3	0 11 0	0 10 3	0 11 2	28 0 0	4 12 0	6 2 6	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 13 0
1873	7 8 0	20 12 0	0 13 0	0 11 0	0 8 0	0 10 8	32 0 0	4 7 6	6 2 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	5 2 0
1874	7 6 0	21 2 0	0 15 0	0 13 0	0 10 6	0 12 10	28 0 0	4 14 0	5 13 9	4 0 6	3 14 1	4 14 0
1875	7 4 0	19 0 0	0 14 6	0 13 1	0 11 0	0 12 10	30 0 0	4 7 1	5 9 0	3 12 0	3 8 3	4 0 9
1876	7 2 0	21 11 0	1 0 3	0 12 9	0 10 0	0 13 0	30 0 0	4 0 6	5 10 9	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 1 0
1877	8 2 0	32 4 0	0 15 6	0 12 6	0 9 6	0 12 6	30 0 0	4 7 6	6 3 6	4 9 0	4 14 6	4 5 0
1878	8 0 0	25 12 0	0 12 0	0 9 3	0 6 9	0 9 4	28 0 0	4 13 6	6 8 6	5 0 0	5 9 0	5 4 0
1879	8 10 0	27 12 0	0 12 3	0 7 9	0 7 0	0 9 0	35 0 0	5 0 0	6 8 6	4 11 9	5 4 6	5 2 9
1880	9 12 0	27 12 0	0 10 9	0 8 3	0 7 4	0 8 9	40 0 0	4 13 0	6 15 3	4 10 0	5 2 6	5 0 3
1881	9 0 0	28 0 0	0 11 3	0 8 6	0 6 3	0 8 8	35 0 0	4 8 3	6 6 3	4 0 0	4 5 6	4 12 9
1882	8 12 0	25 10 0	0 10 6	0 8 6	0 6 6	0 8 6	35 0 0	3 15 6	5 14 0	3 15 3	3 13 0	3 14 9
1883	8 8 0	23 14 0	0 9 0	0 7 9	0 6 0	0 7 7	40 0 0	3 14 0	5 4 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0
1884	8 0 0	19 13 0	0 8 9	0 6 6	0 5 10	0 7 0	40 0 0	4 4 6	5 10 4	4 9 3	4 12 0	4 5 10
1885	8 2 0	19 0 0	0 9 0	0 6 6	0 5 0	0 6 10	40 0 0	4 3 0	5 11 3	3 12 0	4 3 0	3 13 3
1886	8 4 0	22 2 0	0 10 0	0 6 10	0 6 6	0 7 9	29 0 0	4 8 3	5 11 3	3 9 6	3 13 0	3 11 0
1887	7 11 0	18 13 0	0 9 0	0 6 3	0 5 4	0 6 10	31 0 0	4 7 6	6 2 3	3 11 0	4 10 10	3 14 0
1888	7 2 0	24 10 0	0 8 9	0 5 9	0 5 3	0 6 7	30 0 0	4 3 9	6 4 6	3 13 6	5 3 8	4 7 3
1889	8 2 0	28 0 0	0 7 5	0 5 1	0 4 9	0 5 9	30 0 0	5 3 0	7 1 3	4 14 0	4 4 3	5 6 0
1890	9 6 0	21 10 0	0 7 5	0 6 0	0 5 3	0 6 3	32 0 0	4 13 6	6 11 3	4 9 6	4 10 0	4 15 0
1891	7 12 0	20 4 0	0 7 7	0 5 9	0 5 4	0 6 3	35 0 0	4 7 6	6 4 6	4 7 0	5 7 0	4 10 6
1892	8 0 0	21 4 0	0 7 2	0 4 7	0 4 0	0 5 3	32 0 0	5 3 0	6 15 1	4 9 0	4 14 0	4 13 8
1893	8 13 0	29 8 0	0 8 4	0 5 9	0 5 3	0 6 5	30 0 0	5 8 6	7 11 3	4 11 0	5 9 5	5 5 6
1894	10 4 0	22 1 6	0 7 3	0 4 9	0 4 6	0 5 6	32 0 0	5 10 6	7 10 6	4 0 0	5 2 7	6 3 0
1895	8 8 0	19 2 6	0 9 3	0 6 9	0 6 6	0 7 6	32 0 0	5 12 9	8 0 6	4 8 0	4 12 6	6 4 9
1896	8 0 0	21 12 0	0 7 9	0 5 3	0 5 0	0 6 0	34 8 0	4 5 0	6 12 9	4 6 0	5 11 0	5 10 9
1897	7 2 0	20 3 0	0 6 9	0 4 9	0 4 3	0 5 3	32 0 0	4 5 0	6 7 6	4 15 0	3 15 6	5 2 6
1898	7 2 0	22 4 0	0 7 5	0 4 7	0 4 3	0 5 5	31 0 0	4 1 3	6 0 0	4 4 0	4 10 0	4 11 0
1899	7 7 0	23 8 0	0 5 6	0 4 4	0 4 1	0 4 8	32 8 0	4 6 9	6 5 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 7 0
1900	8 4 0	22 4 0	0 6 0	0 4 10	0 4 6	0 5 1	33 8 0	6 3 6	9 7 6	6 5 0	6 1 3	5 9 0
1901	8 8 0	19 8 0	0 4 3	0 3 3	0 2 10	0 3 5	39 8 0	6 15 3	9 12 6	5 4 1	5 10 0	5 12 3
1902	6 8 0	17 4 0	0 5 2	0 4 1	0 3 9	0 4 4	40 0 0	6 11 6	9 15 0	4 14 6	5 12 0	6 1 6
1903	6 12 0	17 4 0	0 6 3	0 5 3	0 5 0	0 5 6	31 0 0	5 3 3	7 10 0	4 2 0	4 1 9	5 1 3
1904	7 3 0	20 8 0	0 7 0	0 5 4	0 4 10	0 5 9	31 8 0	4 1 9	5 14 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 5 6
1905	8 7 0	28 2 0	0 6 6	0 4 6	0 3 9	0 4 11	25 4 0	4 0 3	6 6 0	4 14 0	5 3 0	4 3 6
1906	8 0 0	18 10 0	0 7 0	0 4 6	0 3 3	0 4 11	35 0 0	5 10 6	7 15 3	5 12 9	5 10 6	6 4 0
1907	9 0 0	20 10 0	0 7 9	0 6 6	0 5 6	0 6 7	41 8 0	5 3 3	7 11 9	7 0 0	5 14 0	6 12 0
1908	8 13 0	23 4 0	0 8 9	0 7 0	0 6 0	0 7 3	42 0 0	5 13 3	8 6 3	..	8 4 0	[illegible]
1909	9 2 0	23 0 0	0 7 4	0 6 1	0 4 9	0 6 1	[illegible] 0 0	6 2 0	8 10 0	5 10 0	5 12 0	[illegible]
1910	9 7 0	26 2 0	0 7 10	0 6 10	0 5 10	0 6 10	41 0 0	7 14 0	10 15 3	5 0 0	5 4 0	[illegible]
1911	8 8 0	26 12 0	0 8 0	0 7 1	0 6 9	0 7 6	31 8 0	8 15 0	12 13 0	5 4 0	6 6 [illegible]	7 10 0
1912	8 10 0	25 4 0	0 8 1	0 7 6	0 6 9	0 7 5	48 4 0	8 13 0	12 11 9	6 11 0	6 8 0	8 15 0
1913	9 3 0	20 14 0	0 8 0	0 6 10½	0 5 10½	0 6 11	52 8 0	5 11 0	8 5 6	6 10 0	6 10 0	8 12 0
1914	7 5 0	21 0 0	0 7 10½	0 7 6	0 6 11	0 7 6	49 4 0	5 15 6	8 9 9	6 6 0	6 10 0	7 14 6
1915	10 8 0	25 0 0	0 10 3	0 9 4½	0 9 1½	0 9 7	46 8 0	4 15 0	7 9 9	5 10 0	[illegible] 4 0	6 2 0
1916	12 14 0	26 0 0	0 9 6	0 8 6	0 7 6	0 8 6	42 12 0	5 9 0	8 10 0	5 6 0	5 8 0	5 11 0
1917	11 6 0	37 6 0	0 8 4½	0 7 6	0 6 10½	0 7 7	58 0 0	5 9 0	9 12 3	5 13 0	5 8 0	5 14 0
1918	9 8 0	36 0 0	0 8 0	0 6 9	0 6 4½	0 7 0½	68 0 0	5 0 6	8 9 1½	6 8 0	7 0 0	6 5 1½
1919	15 8 0	40 0 0	0 8 1½	0 6 3	0 5 9	0 6 [illegible]	80 0 0	12 10 0	10 1 0	12 10 0	12 7 6	13 7 6
1920	25 8 0	76 0 0	0 7 6	0 6 6	0 5 7½	0 6 6½	97 12 0	12 7 0	17 9 0	12 4 0	13 0 0	14 0 0
1921	17 0 0	62 8 0	0 5 1	0 2 9	0 2 0	0 3 7	75 0 0	9 2 0	14 10 0	9 6 0	8 8 0	11 8 0
1922	12 0 0	67 8 0	0 11 9	0 10 6	0 8 9	0 10 4	75 0 0	9 0 0	13 10 0	8 14 0	8 12 0	11 12 0
1923	15 4 0	50 12 0	0 15 10½	0 15 0	0 14 6	0 13 1½	85 0 0	9 4 0	13 6 6	7 13 0	9 4 0	10 1 6
1924	9 4 0	47 8 0	0 15 6	0 15 0	0 13 3	0 14 7	78 8 0	9 8 0	13 9 6	7 9 6	9 3 6	9 11 6
1925	..	58 4 0	0 15 6	0 13 7½	0 12 10½	0 14 0	79 8 0	9 8 6	13 10 6	8 8 6	9 3 6	[illegible] 2 6
1926	..	57 8 0	0 14 9	0 13 9	0 12 7½	0 13 8½	[illegible] 8 0	8 0 0	10 15 6	8 10 6	9 6 0	[illegible] 3 6
1927	..	59 0 0	0 13 3	0 11 8	0 10 9	0 11 10	70 8 0	7 1 6	10 11 0	8 5 0	8 15 6	12 12 0
1928	..	48 8 0	0 13 3	0 11 9	0 11 3	0 12 1	75 8 0	7 2 3	10 5 0	8 5 0	(f)7 15 6	11 0 0
1929	..	65 0 0	0 11 9	0 10 6	0 9 6	0 10 7	68 8 0	7 15 0	10 14 6	8 5 0	(f)8 1 6	(f)13 12 0
1930	..	60 0 0	0 10 0	(f)0 6 7½	0 6 7½	0 8 0½	71 8 0	8 3 6	11 11 6	7 12 0	(h)8 0 0	(i)11 4 0
1931	..	40 0 0	0 8 0	(h)0 4 0	0 5 5	0 6 5½	55 0 0	4 10 0	6 13 6	5 4 0	(j)7 2 0	7 12 3

(a) 'Dollo' from July 1903.
(b) 'Pekoe-ordinary, good to fine liquor,' from July 1903 and Fair (Assam) Pekoe from 1912.
(c) 'Pekoe Souchong, even black to grey, useful liquor,' from July 1903 and Fair (Assam) Pekoe Souchong from 1912.
(d) 'Pekoe Souchong, black to grey, thin liquor,' from July 1903 and Fair (Cachar and Sylhet) Pekoe Souchong from 1912.
(e) Small to medium from 1890 and "small grain" per Indian Maund of 82[illegible] lb. from July 1925.
(f) Average of January and June.
(g) Average of January and May.
(h) Quotation for January only.
(i) Quotation for July only.
(j) Sesamum (Bombay) per cwt for July 1931.

TABLE V—*continued*

Average prices of each article, 1861—1931—continued

Year	15 Castor oil No. 1, fine Pale (Calcutta) per bazar maund (82 2/7 lb) (a)	16 Jute, raw: Picked (C. C.) (Calcutta) per bale of 400 lb (b)	16 Jute, raw: Ordinary (Calcutta) per bale of 400 lb (c)	16 Jute, raw: Average	17 Jute, manufactured, gunny bags (Calcutta) per 100 (d)	18 Cotton, raw Broach (Bombay) per candy of 784 lb	Cotton, manufactured: 19 Yarn 20s (Bombay) per lb	Cotton, manufactured: 20 T cloth (Bombay) per lb (f)	21 Silk, raw: European filature or Cossimbazar (Calcutta) per factory seer (1.86 lb) (g)	22 Wool, raw Khorasan: (Bombay) per candy of 588 lb	22 Wool, raw Khorasan: (Karachi) per maund of 82 lb (e)
	R a p	R a p	R a p	R a p	R a p	R a p	R a p	R a p	R a p	R a p	R a p
1861	12 2 0	16 0 0	13 4 0	14 10 0	19 0 0	139 0 0			17 12 0	137 8 0	
1862	13 4 0	15 10 0	12 2 0	13 14 0	20 0 0	205 8 0			16 10 0	150 0 0	
1863	12 2 0	21 12 0	19 0 0	20 6 0	22 0 0	367 8 0			18 0 0	200 0 0	
1864	11 6 0	25 8 0	21 8 0	23 8 0	25 0 0	585 0 0			16 4 0	140 0 0	
1865	11 0 0	19 0 0	15 0 0	17 0 0	24 0 0	342 8 0			21 0 0	162 8 0	
1866	12 2 0	23 8 0	20 0 0	21 12 0	23 12 0	408 12 0			23 0 0	143 4 0	
1867	12 3 0	19 12 0	19 5 0	19 9 0	23 8 0	270 0 0			24 0 0	160 0 0	
1868	13 4 0	18 0 0	17 12 0	17 14 0	21 0 0	190 8 0			25 0 0	137 8 0	
1869	12 4 0	19 0 0	18 10 0	18 13 0	22 4 0	244 0 0			25 8 0	134 0 0	
1870	12 4 0	23 6 0	23 0 0	23 3 0	25 8 0	302 0 0			26 0 0	125 0 0	19 8 0
1871	12 4 0	25 4 0	24 12 0	25 0 0	24 14 0	200 0 0			23 4 0	151 4 0	22 12 0
1872	13 0 0	25 0 0	24 8 0	24 12 0	24 4 0	243 0 0			22 4 0	157 4 0	41 0 0
1873	12 10 0	18 4 0	17 12 0	18 0 0	22 0 0	255 0 0			22 8 0	135 0 0	35 8 0
1874	12 10 0	26 8 0	23 0 0	24 12 0	19 8 0	210 0 0	0 8 7	0 9 3	18 8 0	131 0 0	23 8 0
1875	11 0 0	20 12 0	17 10 0	19 3 0	22 8 0	204 8 0	0 6 11	0 8 0	13 8 0	136 4 0	23 8 0
1876	9 12 0	23 9 6	20 1 6	21 13 6	18 8 0	190 8 0	0 6 10	0 7 0	15 8 0	105 0 0	25 12 0
1877	13 14 0	27 11 6	25 1 0	26 6 3	21 4 5	209 12 0	0 7 5	0 6 2	22 0 0	157 8 0	24 0 0
1878	14 12 0	26 3 6	24 10 6	25 7 0	21 10 0	206 4 0	0 6 9	0 7 8	17 8 0	124 12 0	20 12 0
1879	13 12 0	26 12 0	24 3 0	25 7 6	20 9 0	220 12 0	0 6 7	0 7 6	15 12 0	112 8 0	22 2 0
1880	11 12 0	30 8 0	28 8 0	29 8 0	19 12 0	251 0 0	0 7 2	0 7 10	19 12 0	225 0 0	33 10 0
1881	10 4 0	28 4 0	25 12 0	27 0 0	24 10 0	243 0 0	0 7 4	0 8 3	17 10 0	206 4 0	27 4 0
1882	10 6 0	22 12 0	21 2 0	21 15 0	24 14 0	229 0 0	0 6 8	0 7 6	18 12 0	187 8 0	27 0 0
1883	10 14 0	18 12 0	16 12 0	17 12 0	20 12 0	197 4 0	0 6 4	0 7 3	16 10 0	187 8 0	27 4 0
1884	11 0 0	24 12 0	22 12 0	23 12 0	22 12 0	216 0 0	0 6 2	0 6 11	14 12 0	187 8 0	22 12 0
1885	10 0 0	20 8 0	18 8 0	19 8 0	20 2 0	229 0 0	0 6 1	0 6 9	13 0 0	187 8 0	21 6 0
1886	10 0 0	24 8 0	20 4 0	22 6 0	18 12 0	214 12 0	0 6 2	0 7 1	17 12 0	187 8 0	22 6 0
1887	10 4 0	25 0 0	21 8 0	23 4 0	23 12 0	217 0 0	0 6 1	0 7 0	18 14 0	160 0 0	30 3 0
1888	11 0 0	28 4 0	25 0 0	26 10 0	27 4 0	243 0 0	0 6 8	0 7 0	15 10 0	142 8 0	29 0 0
1889	12 12 0	37 8 0	36 0 0	36 12 0	27 10 0	234 8 0	0 6 9	0 7 1	17 0 0	132 8 0	29 4 0
1890	14 4 0	34 8 0	31 8 0	33 0 0	24 14 0	233 8 0	0 6 3	0 7 1	19 4 0	132 8 0	26 8 0
1891	13 12 0	25 0 0	23 4 0	24 2 0	20 12 0	215 0 0	0 5 11	0 7 1	16 12 0	132 8 0	22 10 0
1892	14 4 0	39 0 0	36 0 0	37 8 0	25 14 0	191 0 0	0 5 8	0 6 10	15 4 0	132 8 0	23 6 0
1893	13 12 0	34 12 0	32 4 0	33 8 0	24 4 0	239 0 0	0 6 5	0 7 2	18 6 0	132 8 0	27 12 0
1894	14 4 0	41 0 0	39 12 0	40 6 0	23 14 0	215 0 0	0 6 1	0 7 5	18 4 0	132 8 0	24 12 0
1895	13 0 0	34 0 0	32 0 0	33 0 0	24 4 0	202 8 0	0 5 11	0 7 3	15 6 0	132 8 0	24 0 0
1896	14 4 0	35 0 0	32 4 0	33 10 0	22 11 0	217 4 0	0 6 5	0 7 2	15 0 0	132 0 0	27 12 0
1897	17 4 0	35 8 0	31 12 0	33 10 0	21 6 0	196 0 0	0 6 3	0 7 1	14 8 0	132 0 0	27 0 0
1898	16 8 0	28 8 0	24 12 0	26 10 0	18 2 0	175 0 0	0 5 2	0 7 0	14 8 0	132 0 0	23 8 0
1899	14 12 0	31 0 0	28 8 0	29 12 0	19 8 0	150 8 0	0 4 6	0 6 6	17 12 0	120 0 0	21 4 0
1900	17 0 3	36 0 0	33 12 0	34 14 0	23 12 0	219 0 0	0 5 3	0 6 10	19 4 0	120 0 0	20 4 0
1901	17 10 6	35 4 0	22 4 0	33 12 0	22 14 0	215 0 0	0 5 9	0 8 1	15 6 0	130 0 0	19 2 0
1902	15 12 6	34 0 0	31 0 0	32 8 0	20 12 0	212 0 0	0 5 8	0 7 9	13 10 0	127 8 0	17 8 0
1903	12 14 3	36 4 0	33 8 0	34 14 0	21 4 0	207 4 0	0 5 9	0 7 6	15 0 0	115 0 0	20 8 0
1904	14 4 3	35 8 0	32 4 0	33 14 0	23 14 0	245 0 0	0 6 7	0 8 1	14 14 0	115 0 0	24 8 0
1905	16 4 3	43 0 0	40 8 0	41 12 0	25 12 0	215 8 0	0 6 11	0 9 5	16 0 0		29 8 0
1906	18 8 3	62 0 0	57 12 0	59 14 0	31 11 0	252 0 0	0 7 4	0 9 8	17 6 0		26 12 0
1907	19 12 6	67 8 0	55 4 0	61 6 0	25 6 0	248 12 0	0 6 11	0 9 0	19 8 0		23 8 0
1908	18 0 6	47 8 0	37 6 0	42 8 0	20 12 0	246 8 0	0 6 4	0 9 0	14 0 0		20 0 0
1909	18 10 6	35 0 0	31 12 0	33 6 0	27 12 0	242 0 0	0 6 7	0 8 5	14 4 0		21 0 0
1910	20 8 6	35 12 0	32 8 0	34 2 0	27 14 0	303 0 0	0 7 8	0 9 1	13 10 0		23 0 0
1911	20 4 6	58 2 0	52 4 0	54 3 6	31 6 0	242 0 0	0 8 11	0 10 8	14 12 0		[illegible]
1912	19 0 3	57 0 0	48 12 0	52 14 0	30 4 0	283 0 0	0 8 1	0 10 6	15 12 0		25 0 0
1913	19 8 3	74 0 0	64 8 0	71 4 0	39 2 0	309 0 0	0 8 2½	0 10 6	16 4 0		26 8 0
1914	20 4 6	85 8 0	75 12 0	80 10 0	42 8 0	[illegible] 8 0	0 7 6½	0 9 6	16 14 0		28 4 0
1915	19 4 6	54 0 0	45 0 0	49 8 0	34 12 0	205 0 0	0 5 10½	0 8 2	15 12 0		29 4 0
1916	19 0 3	59 8 0	48 8 0	54 0 0	41 15 0	272 0 0	0 7 6	0 10 0	17 4 0		[illegible]
1917	20 14 6	61 8 0	44 8 0	54 0 0	43 12 0	451 0 0	0 11 9	0 14 3	22 0 0		[illegible]
1918	25 15 3	[illegible] 8 0	49 0 0	47 12 0	67 8 0	653 0 0	1 3 4	1 8 8	24 12 0		[illegible]
1919	35 11 6	100 0 0	79 8 0	89 8 0	59 8 0	635 0 0	1 5 6	1 9 6	25 4 0		[illegible]
1920	29 5 4	87 8 0	69 8 0	78 8 0	57 0 0	502 12 0	1 9 3	1 12 3	25 0 0		[illegible]
1921	[illegible]	96 0 0	67 8 0	81 12 0	29 2 0	223 0 0	1 0 9	1 9 4	27 8 0	—	[illegible]
1922	[illegible]	89 8 0	76 8 0	83 0 0	49 10 0	512 12 0	1 1 10	1 8 0	23 8 0	—	[illegible]
1923	[illegible]	86 0 0	72 8 0	79 4 0	52 2 0	499 8 0	0 15 11	1 3 7½	26 4 0	—	[illegible]
1924	[illegible]	79 0 0	62 8 0	64 4 0	35 8 0	522 4 0	1 1 10½	1 5 7½	22 0 0	—	[illegible]
1925	30 14 0	92 0 0	64 8 0	[illegible]	65 0 0	457 8 0	0 14 7½	1 2 9	20 12 0	—	[illegible]
1926	21 14 0	116 8 0	107 0 0	119 12 0	79 4 0	245 4 0	0 11 9	0 15 2	29 8 0	—	[illegible]
1927	20 0 0	74 8 0	[illegible]	[illegible]	57 12 0	[illegible]	0 14 0	[illegible]	23 8 0	—	[illegible]
1928	19 0 0	73 0 0	[illegible]	74 4 0	[illegible]	[illegible]	0 12 0	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	[illegible]
1929	19 15 0	61 0 0	[illegible]	67 4 0	47 0 0	224 8 0	0 12 0	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	[illegible]
1930	19 0 0	56 8 0	63 4 0	52 14 0	23 12 0	244 8 0	0 10 3	[illegible]	15 [illegible]	—	[illegible]
1931	14 8 0	36 0 0	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	0 7 6	0 11 1½	[illegible]	—	[illegible]

TABLE V—*continued*

Average prices of each article, 1861—1931—continued

Year	23 Hides, raw (Bengal) declared value per 20 lbs	24 Skins, dressed: Goat (Madras) per lb	24 Skins, dressed: Sheep (Madras) per lb	24 Skins, dressed: Average	25 Coal, free on rail, per ton	26 Lac, shell: First Orange (Calcutta) per bazar maund (82 2/7 lb) (a)	26 Lac, shell: Second Orange (Calcutta) per bazar maund (82 2/7 lb) (b)	26 Lac, shell: Average	27 Saltpetre (Calcutta) per factory maund (74·67 lb)	28 Indigo (Calcutta) per factory maund (74·67 lb)
	EXPORTED ARTICLES—*concluded.*									
	R	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.
1861	..	..	..	..	..	55 0 0	49 0 0	52 0 0	8 6 0	240 0 0
1862	..	..	..	..	..	50 4 0	46 8 0	48 6 0	8 2 0	295 0 0
1863	..	..	..	..	..	53 8 0	48 0 0	50 12 0	8 10 0	260 0 0
1864	..	..	..	..	..	48 4 0	46 0 0	47 2 0	7 14 0	210 0 0
1865	..	..	..	..	..	31 8 0	29 0 0	30 4 0	6 14 0	210 0 0
1866	..	0 12 2	0 7 2	0 9 8	..	28 8 0	25 0 0	26 12 0	6 7 0	215 0 0
1867	3·84	0 15 1	0 8 8	0 11 10½	..	25 4 0	23 4 0	24 4 0	5 5 0	237 8 0
1868	4·18	1 0 4	0 11 3	0 13 9½	..	27 4 0	24 12 0	26 0 0	5 6 0	260 0 0
1869	4·33	0 14 1	0 10 0	0 12 0½	..	29 8 0	22 8 0	26 0 0	6 5 0	255 0 0
1870	4·47	1 0 11	0 11 4	0 14 1½	..	35 0 0	29 8 0	32 4 0	6 9 0	317 8 0
1871	4·66	1 1 0	0 10 6	0 13 9	..	48 12 0	43 12 0	45 4 0	7 10 0	295 0 0
1872	4·96	1 2 10	0 13 6	1 0 2	..	51 8 0	47 8 0	49 8 0	8 0 0	332 0 0
1873	5·84	1 0 0	0 10 6	0 13 3	..	59 0 0	55 0 0	57 0 0	7 13 0	262 8 0
1874	5·09	0 14 3	0 9 6	0 11 10	..	90 12 0	86 8 0	88 10 0	6 15 0	300 0 0
1875	6·04	1 2 1	0 10 3	0 14 2	..	101 8 0	95 8 0	98 8 0	6 1 6	285 0 0
1876	5·86	1 1 7	0 9 10	0 13 8	..	55 0 0	41 0 0	49 8 0	5 14 6	240 0 0
1877	5·61	0 15 10	0 10 9	0 13 3	..	35 0 0	28 8 0	31 12 0	7 0 0	290 0 0
1878	4·87	1 0 6	0 10 9	0 13 7	..	31 0 0	26 0 0	28 8 0	6 12 0	230 0 0
1879	5·07	1 1 6	0 11 3	0 14 4	..	38 8 0	33 8 0	36 0 0	6 8 0	300 0 0
1880	5·76	1 2 0	0 15 11	1 1 0	..	77 8 0	69 0 0	73 4 0	6 14 0	317 8 0
1881	5·94	1 2 1	0 13 3	0 15 8	..	68 8 0	58 0 0	63 4 0	7 0 0	275 0 0
1882	6	1 2 11	0 13 6	1 0 2	..	51 8 0	42 0 0	46 12 0	7 1 6	305 0 0
1883	6·22	1 3 3	0 14 5	1 0 10	..	47 0 0	39 8 0	43 4 0	6 5 6	280 0 0
1884	6·41	1 1 5	0 13 7	0 15 6	..	50 0 0	44 0 0	47 0 0	5 13 0	307 8 0
1885	6·25	1 2 3	0 12 7	0 15 5	..	34 0 0	29 0 0	31 8 0	5 4 0	270 0 0
1886	6·47	1 3 0	0 13 4	1 0 2	..	33 0 0	27 4 0	30 2 0	6 1 6	280 0 0
1887	6·63	1 4 5	0 12 7	1 0 6	..	31 0 0	25 0 0	28 0 0	6 1 3	185 0 0
1888	6·27	1 5 4	0 13 9	1 1 6	..	40 0 0	30 8 0	35 4 0	6 5 3	215 0 0
1889	6·54	1 5 7	0 13 11	1 1 9	3 8 0	60 0 0	43 8 0	51 12 0	6 11 6	245 0 0
1890	6·36	1 5 11	0 13 9	1 1 10	3 9 6	57 8 0	50 0 0	53 12 0	6 11 0	260 0 0
1891	6·31	1 4 9	0 13 9	1 1 3	3 7 6	50 0 0	42 8 0	46 4 0	6 6 0	225 0 0
1892	6·89	1 5 5	0 13 11	1 1 8	3 8 6	60 0 0	51 0 0	55 8 0	6 12 9	185 0 0
1893	7·08	1 8 3	1 1 2	1 1 9	3 4 0	75 0 0	65 0 0	70 0 0	7 5 6	300 0 0
1894	6·71	1 7 8	1 0 2	1 3 11	3 3 0	75 0 0	70 0 0	72 8 0	8 4 6	285 0 0
1895	7·4	1 8 7	1 0 0	1 1 3	4 3 0	90 8 0	92 8 0	91 8 0	9 3 9	275 0 0
1896	8·11	1 6 3	1 0 7	1 3 5	4 4 0	80 0 0	72 8 0	76 4 0	7 7 0	275 0 0
1897	7·72	1 5 11	1 0 9	1 3 4	3 8 0	57 8 0	50 0 0	53 12 0	6 2 6	225 0 0
1898	7·74	1 4 0	0 11 11	0 15 11	3 6 0	55 0 0	50 0 0	52 8 0	5 13 6	200 0 0
1899	7·71	1 3 6	0 12 6	1 0 0	3 12 0	52 8 0	47 8 0	50 0 0	6 6 0	150 0 0
1900	7·89	1 4 3	0 14 1	1 1 2	3 14 0	45 0 0	40 0 0	42 8 0	6 10 0	195 0 0
1901	7·74	1 3 11	0 13 10	1 0 10	4 3 0	47 8 0	42 8 0	45 0 0	6 8 6	170 0 0
1902	8·28	1 7 1	0 15 4	1 3 2	4 1 6	72 8 0	69 0 0	70 12 0	6 13 6	170 0 0
1903	8·67	1 5 0	1 0 7	1 2 10	3 6 6	77 8 0	80 0 0	78 12 0	6 11 0	160 0 0
1904	8·93	1 2 6	1 1 6	1 2 0	3 8 0	105 0 0	[illegible]	102 0 0	7 2 0	175 0 0
1905	10·23	1 2 0	1 4 0	1 3 0	3 4 0	71 8 0	75 0 0	71 12 0	8 8 0	[illegible]
1906	10·73	1 8 6	1 10 0	1 9 3	3 4 0	97 8 0	96 0 0	96 12 0	8 7 0	[illegible]
1907	11·82	1 6 10	1 9 10	1 8 4	4 0 0	104 0 0	97 8 0	100 12 0	8 14 0	170 0 0
1908	11·81	1 2 7	1 1 6	1 2 0	6 0 0	67 0 0	63 0 0	65 0 0	8 8 0	160 0 0
1909	11·34	1 3 7	1 1 0	1 3 9	4 8 0	55 8 0	37 0 0	37 12 0	8 4 0	150 0 0
1910	11·71	1 5 0	1 3 0	1 4 1	3 11 0	31 12 0	32 0 0	33 6 0	8 12 0	155 0 0
1911	11·76	1 6 2	1 6 2	1 6 2	3 14 0	36 4 0	32 0 0	34 2 0	11 6 0	[illegible]
1912	12·28	1 6 11	1 9 6	1 8 2	4 0 0	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11 6 0	[illegible]
1913	13·91	1 12 2	1 11 5¼	1 11 11¼	4 3 0	31 4 0	[illegible]	[illegible]	11 10 0	[illegible]
1914	13·57	1 10 0¼	1 10 8¾	1 10 4½	4 11 7	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11 11 0	[illegible]
1915	13·68	1 7 2	1 8 4¾	1 7 9¼	4 11 [illegible]	27 0 0	27 0 0	27 0 0	11 8 0	[illegible]
1916	14·56	2 3 4	2 1 2¼	[illegible]	[illegible]	77 8 0	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1917	12·06	2 5 6	[illegible]	[illegible]	4 12 11	77 0 0	77 8 0	77 0 0	[illegible]	[illegible]
1918	10·69	3 1 0	2 13 0	2 15 0	5 3 7½	63 8 0	41 8 0	52 8 0	[illegible]	[illegible]
1919	13·9	4 4 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	8 6 7½	116 0 0	119 0 0	117 8 0	[illegible]	[illegible]
1920	10·27	4 10 0	3 12 0	4 3 0	10 0 0	215 0 0	187 8 0	201 4 0	[illegible]	[illegible]
1921	6·12	3 6 0	2 11 0	3 0 6	10 0 0	121 0 0	115 0 0	117 8 0	14 0 0	[illegible]
1922	8·35	3 2 0	2 12 0	2 15 0	18 0 0	172 8 0	160 0 0	[illegible]	16 12 0	[illegible]
1923	10·01	3 8 0	2 12 0	3 1 0	17 8 0	151 8 0	[illegible]	141 0 0	11 0 0	[illegible]
1924	10·41	3 0 0	2 12 6	2 14 3	15 0 0	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11 4 0	[illegible]
1925	10·73	2 8 0	2 4 6	2 6 0	11 11 0	112 8 0	[illegible]	111 8 0	11 4 0	[illegible]
1926	8·28	2 5 0	2 11 0	[illegible]	10 10 0	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1927	8·01	2 6 0	2 4 0	[illegible]	9 14 0	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1928	8·53	3 6 0	2 0 0	[illegible]	9 10 0	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1929	9·76	2 0 0	2 4 0	[illegible]	9 12 0	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1930	7·41	2 9 0	2 6 0	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

TABLE V—*concluded*

Average prices of each article, 1861—1931—concluded

Year	IMPORTED ARTICLES — 29 Sugar		30 Salt, Liverpool	Cotton, manufactured — 31 Grey	32 Grey … of 20 hanks = 16,800 yards (d)		34 Silk, raw Canton	Metals — 35 Iron flat, bolt, bar and square (Calcutta) per cwt (c)	36 Copper braziers (Calcutta) per factory maund (74 67 lb)	37 Spelter hard (Calcutta) per factory maund (74 67 lb)	38 Coal (Bombay) per ton (d)	39 Kerosene oil (Calcutta) per case of 65 lb nett
		Beet	L									
	R a p	R a p	R	R a p	R a. p	R a p	R a p	R a p	R a p	R a p	R a. p	R a p.
1861			..	5 10 0	0 5 1½	0 14 3	2 14 0	5 0 3	40 12 0	8 4 0		..
1862			66 67	6 3 6	0 6 1½	0 15 9	3 0 0	4 3 0	39 6 0	8 1 0		..
1863			54 17	8 12 0	0 10 9	1 6 1½	3 4 0	3 15 0	39 8 0	7 15 6		..
1864		..	42 42	12 0 0	0 13 6	1 15 1½	3 2 0	4 6 9	41 6 0	7 14 0		..
1865		..	69 25	10 14 0	0 11 0	2 0 3	4 3 0	4 1 3	35 9 0	6 12 0	21 12 0	..
1866	..	..	109 92	9 6 0	0 10 3	1 4 3	5 12 0	5 1 0	35 10 0	7 14 0	20 4 0	..
1867	..	..	102 08	8 1 0	0 8 1½	1 2 0	4 8 0	5 7 0	36 0 0	14 6 0	22 0 0	..
1868	..	..	85·5	6 9 6	0 5 11½	1 0 0	4 12 0	4 7 3	33 2 0	10 6 0	23 12 0	..
1869		..	66 25	6 7 6	0 6 10½	0 12 6	4 8 0	3 15 9	33 6 0	8 11 0	18 8 0	..
1870	16 10 0		61 75	6 11 0	0 7 0½	0 15 6	4 3 0	4 4 3	30 6 0	7 14 0	15 0 0	..
1871	17 8 0	..	50	5 12 0	0 5 7½	0 14 3	3 8 0	4 5 9	30 0 0	7 4 0	19 4 0	
1872	16 0 0		68	5 13 0	0 6 4½	0 14 7½	2 11 6	5 8 1	36 14 0	7 11 0	18 8 0	..
1873	17 8 0	..	88	5 15 0	0 6 5	0 15 0	2 13 0	6 12 0	39 12 0	7 2 0	25 8 0	..
1874	16 0 0	..	90	5 8 6	0 6 0½	0 14 10½	2 8 0	7 3 6	40 7 0	7 11 6	26 0 0	
1875	19 8 0		59	5 0 0	0 5 9	0 13 7½	2 8 0	5 13 9	40 7 0	9 0 6	18 8 0	..
1876	15 0 0	..	50	4 14 6	0 5 7	0 12 7½	2 15 0	5 1 0	39 14 0	10 10 6	21 0 0	
1877	19 4 0		53	4 7 6	0 5 5¼	0 13 1¼	2 12 6½	4 5 9	36 1 0	10 0 6	17 2 0	..
1878	17 4 0		70	4 5 6	0 5 0	0 11 4½	2 10 11½	3 15 9	33 2 0	8 12 6	17 8 0	..
1879	17 0 0		81	4 8 6	0 4 11½	0 11 10½	2 12 3	3 12 0	31 2 0	6 15 0	20 6 0	..
1880	19 1 0	..	62 25	4 12 0	0 5 6¾	0 13 0	3 8 0	4 8 0	32 0 0	7 11 0	19 0 0	..
1881	17 3 0		56 57	4 11 9	0 5 3	0 12 10½	4 7 6	3 12 0	32 6 0	6 12 0	15 3 0	
1882	16 13 0	..	52 73	4 10 0	0 4 11½	0 12 7½	4 8 9	4 5 9	34 2 0	6 8 6	12 12 0	
1883	15 14 0		59 8	4 11 6	0 4 8½	0 12 3	3 10 6	4 2 9	31 8 0	5 6 0	14 10 0	..
1884	15 1 0	..	55 43	4 8 3	0 4 9½	0 11 9	3 11 1½	3 15 0	28 12 0	6 10 0	16 6 0	..
1885	12 2 0	..	58 59	4 6 6	0 4 6¼	0 11 3	3 14 7½	3 8 3	24 12 0	6 2 0	15 4 0	..
1886	12 11 0		71 67	5 0 0	0 4 2	0 10 11½	4 8 3	3 6 0	22 12 0	7 3 0	14 0 0	
1887	12 0 0	..	77 54	4 13 0	0 4 2½	0 11 6	4 11 6	3 10 6	24 12 0	7 13 0	14 11 0	
1888	11 14 0		94 41	4 11 6	0 4 10	0 12 10½	4 6 6	4 4 3	35 2 0	8 0 0	19 4 0	3 6 9
1889	13 3 0		94 43	4 11 3	0 4 10½	0 12 9½	4 4 3	4 8 9	32 10 0	7 11 0	17 4 0	3 9 6
1890	12 12 6		77 8	4 6 6	0 4 8½	0 12 6¾	4 2 3	4 15 6	25 12 0	11 0 0	17 0 0	3 2 9
1891	11 4 0		64 74	4 9 0	0 4 5½	0 11 3	4 0 0	4 3 6	29 7 0	11 0 0	12 8 0	3 0 0
1892	13 1 0	9 5 0	61 58	4 4 6	0 3 11½	0 10 9	4 3 6	4 3 6	29 9 0	10 12 0	14 12 0	3 14 3
1893	15 1 0	11 5 0	77 81	4 6 3	0 4 8¼	0 11 9	3 13 0	4 7 0	29 12 0	12 10 0	14 6 0	3 8 6
1894	13 9 0	10 7 0	60 66	4 4 3	0 4 7	0 12 0	3 14 0	4 8 0	30 4 0	9 0 0	15 14 0	3 0 9
1895	12 11 0	9 5 6	57 87	4 2 6	0 4 6½	0 12 0	4 5 0	4 11 0	33 15 0	9 3 6	16 4 0	3 9 0
1896	12 10 6	9 10 0	98 05	4 4 0	0 4 8½	0 12 0	3 13 0	4 13 0	33 10 0	9 2 0	20 0 0	4 6 9
1897	11 9 6	8 11 6	80 3	4 2 3	0 4 8	0 12 0	2 10 6	5 0 6	32 6 0	10 0 6	18 12 0	3 14 9
1898	10 8 6	8 7 0	60 71	3 12 6	0 3 9½	0 10 1½	2 9 9	5 0 0	32 9 0	10 10 0	16 8 0	3 3 3
1899	10 10 3	7 15 6	62 54	4 5 1½	0 3 8	0 9 4½	2 10 0	5 4 0	38 0 0	15 6 0	19 0 0	3 9 9
1900	12 2 6	8 7 0	67 47	5 0 3	0 4 3½	0 10 9	3 7 0	5 9 6	43 12 0	11 3 0	23 0 0	4 7 6
1901	11 2 6	8 2 0	74 07	5 2 6	0 4 8½	0 12 10½	3 3 6	5 5 0	44 0 0	9 14 0	24 0 0	4 5 0
1902	9 11 0	7 3 6	58 57	4 11 9	0 4 2¾	0 11 9	3 5 0	4 12 6	38 12 0	10 1 0	18 8 0	3 8 10
1903	10 6 6	7 9 6	52 7	4 11 6	0 4 8	0 12 0	3 3 9	4 11 6	38 12 0	11 2 0	16 8 0	3 15 6
1904	9 11 6	7 3 6	49 99	4 10 6	0 5 1½	0 13 9	3 8 6	4 6 0	37 10 0	12 11 6	18 2 0	4 6 0
1905	11 13 0	8 12 6	48 27	4 7 3	0 5 5	0 11 6	4 2 0	4 2 0	41 0 0	14 12 8	16 2 0	4 0 6
1906	8 11 0	6 4 0	51 35	5 5 6	0 5 2½	0 13 0	4 8 7	4 6 0	49 0 0	17 3 2	19 12 0	4 6 0
1907	9 0 6	6 14 0	53 75	5 10 6	0 5 11	0 13 3	5 5 0	7 14 0	60 4 0	13 7 5	20 4 0	4 7 3
1908	9 12 0	7 8 6	51 39	5 7 0	0 5 11½	0 12 0	4 3 0	8 14 0	41 14 0	13 3 1	22 0 0	4 9 6
1909	9 9 0	7 9 3	40	5 1 0	0 4 8	0 10 0	3 15 0	8 9 0	39 4 0	11 13 10	18 0 0	4 10 6
1910	11 6 0	8 1 6	43 51	5 11 6	0 5 11	0 12 6	4 10 0	8 11 0	37 13 0	11 13 10	15 8 0	4 14 0
1911	9 8 0	7 3 0	62 69	6 4 0	0 6 2	0 14 10	4 8 6	8 12 0	37 4 0	15 5 5	19 8 0	4 12 6
1912	12 2 0		62 09	6 5 6	0 5 4	0 14 1	4 13 0	8 15 0	41 12 0	16 6 4	21 10 0	4 12 6
1913	9 4 6	7 4 0	33 94	6 3 0	0 5 9½	0 11 0	5 2 0	8 13 0	45 10 0	15 10 1	21 4 0	4 10 0
1914	8 10 6	6 14 0	59 52	6 2 0	0 5 9½	0 14 7½	5 2 0	8 8 0	45 0 0	13 6 11	23 8 0	5 0 0
1915	15 12 0		124 68	5 14 0	0 4 11½	0 14 7½	5 2 6	9 7 0	47 12 0	27 3 2	22 12 0	5 0 0
1916	19 11 0	..	157 07	6 4 6	0 6 11½	1 3 4½	6 1 0	13 0 0	65 0 0	73 9 7	49 0 0	5 12 6
1917	21 4 0		225 47	7 5 0	0 9 6	1 11 9	6 3 6	21 0 0	79 4 0	64 0 0	45 0 0	9 12 6
1918	19 4 0		241 88	11 13 0	0 15 7½	2 10 6	7 10 0	23 0 0	77 8 0	57 5 4	67 2 9	8 11 6
1919	27 4 0	..	176 85	17 4 0	1 2 3	2 11 0	8 7 0	30 8 0	77 0 0	27 1 6	42 8 9	10 11 6
1920	44 4 0		151 17	17 8 0	1 3 6	5 10 6	10 4 6	23 8 0	65 0 0	22 6 0	50 9 9	10 12 0
1921	22 14 0	..	128 52	15 14 0	0 15 6	2 3 6	7 13 6	20 0 0	57 0 0	17 0 0	42 11 2	10 13 0
1922	21 6 0		119 94	14 8 0	0 13 3	1 15 9	5 8 0	17 8 0	57 14 0	16 4 0	32 0 0	10 7 8
1923	23 4 0		101 71	12 12 0	0 11 6½	1 11 4½	5 8 0	18 0 0	55 8 0	19 0 0	36 0 0	10 1 9
1924	23 1 0		97 25	15 3 0	0 12 7½	1 12 9	11 8 0	19 0 0	49 0 0	19 0 0	34 8 0	9 8 0
1925	11 11 0	11 13 0	71 1	13 13 6	0 11 1½	1 11 9	15 3 0	16 8 0	45 0 0	19 1 0	29 11 0	9 4 0
1926	11 3 6	13 2 0	97 62	11 2 6	0 9 2½	1 7 6	12 1 0	16 0 0	42 0 0	21 0 0	22 3 5	9 8 6
1927	11 12 0	11 5 0	123 29	8 15 0	0 7 10½	1 3 6	12 2 6	15 8 0	35 14 0	16 0 0	19 2 11	9 12 0
1928	9 9 0	10 8 6	100 40	8 12 6	0 9 1½	1 3 4½	11 6 6	15 8 0	41 4 0	12 0 0	16 13 9½	8 9 6
1929	9 2 10½	9 14 0¼	84 80	8 11 0	0 9 5	1 4 6	10 15 6	16 4 0	45 8 0	12 0 0	17 4 2	8 9 0
1930	8 11 10½	8 12 0	72 68	8 5 0	0 7 8½	1 1 4½	10 2 0	16 0 0	45 0 0	19 0 0	15 1 0	6 9 0
1931	8 11 10½	..	62 70	7 10 6	0 6 2	0 11 6	7 9 0	15 0 0	34 0 0	7 14 0	14 8 2½	6 7 0

TABLE VI

Index Numbers (unweighted) of average prices of each article, 1861—1931.

(Price in 1873 = 100.)

Year	EXPORTED ARTICLES											
	1 Rice				2 Wheat			Other foodgrains†				
	Moonghy (Calcutta) * (a)	Ballam (Calcutta) *	Average of Moonghy and Ballam (b)	Ngatsain (Rangoon) * (c)	Club No. 2 (Calcutta)	Khandwa (Bombay) *	Delhi No. 1 (Bombay) *	3 Jowar	4 Bajra	5 Gram	6 Barley	7 Ragi
1861 . .	84	82	83	..	81	..	..	108	97	81	88	126
1862 . .	70	80	80	..	74	..	..	93	86	65	55	121
1863 . .	70	78	74	..	61	..	..	96	95	68	58	126
1864 . .	100	103	101	..	91	..	..	118	124	86	71	141
1865 . .	118	130	124	..	96	..	..	124	123	105	92	154
1866 . .	172	188	180	..	124	..	..	131	119	126	94	204
1867 . .	122	132	127	..	87	99	..	117	116	113	82	270
1868 . .	97	99	98	..	68	112	..	115	118	117	94	162
1869 . .	109	127	118	..	101	107	..	150	161	193	146	115
1870 . .	99	107	103	84	106	114	..	125	124	153	108	107
1871 . .	95	103	99	78	59	57	87	96	107	109	85	84
1872 . .	91	95	93	73	77	87	85	101	111	106	96	65
1873 . .	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**
1874 . .	157	156	156	100	106	76	75	95	97	92	98	108
1875 . .	150	138	144	135	79	73	82	90	89	80	82	115
1876 . .	111	118	114	91	77	75	81	92	88	69	72	169
1877 . .	153	163	158	132	93	90	97	134	128	92	88	330
1878	171	184	177	141	110	115	114	170	177	176	128	251
1879 . .	187	190	188	151	110	134	112	160	160	177	140	168
1880 . .	131	142	136	118	99	114	103	112	117	127	108	126
1881 . .	89	104	96	123	91	79	93	91	98	100	91	99
1882 . .	90	99	94	111	94	90	96	91	99	93	86	99
1883 . .	115	115	115	129	84	90	89	87	95	89	85	96
1884 . .	143	151	147	126	75	72	80	93	94	88	86	103
1885 . .	147	150	148	119	72	69	74	98	95	88	77	116
1886 . .	129	140	134	125	75	89	80	109	108	94	85	110
1887 . .	104	110	107	128	85	97	87	123	122	114	115	98
1888 . .	111	116	113	140	85	103	84	127	137	123	126	96
1889 . .	145	158	151	142	88	100	91	118	126	113	106	101
1890 . .	153	159	156	131	82	92	83	119	117	121	115	110
1891 . .	147	141	144	156	91	98	90	134	136	131	130	138
1892 . .	168	176	172	173	100	113	99	136	140	126	130	177
1893 . .	180	187	185	138	92	100	88	120	121	112	112	146
1894 . .	178	193	185	128	79	99	77	109	115	96	90	132
1895 . .	156	141	148	125	84	104	81	119	117	118	111	118
1896 . .	160	168	164	134	102	97	86	149	161	164	170	128
1897 . .	243	216	230	164	141	154	135	211	204	246	206	181
1898 . .	183	184	183	126	95	153	94	128	127	134	111	174
1899 . .	134	146	140	123	81	107	78	133	138	138	122	142
1900 . .	118	155	151	137	111	109	110	207	196	206	171	211
1901 . .	173	184	178	122	106	107	90	140	133	152	129	208
1902 . .	187	195	191	118	95	96	91	131	131	132	127	156
1903 . .	160	163	161	151	87	91	84	112	112	124	122	123
1904 . .	165	162	164	125	86	91	81	108	107	107	103	124
1905 . .	156	157	156	136	91	92	87	136	143	136	127	178
1906 . .	217	233	225	157	118	99	96	172	173	168	154	225
1907 . .	..	301	292	175	111	94	94	161	119	170	163	219
1908 . .	272	296	281	188	165	137	120	218	204	252	216	212
1909 . .	..	274	266	157	149	144	116	175	166	186	165	217
1910 . .	139	185	161	143	122	119	105	158	156	110	133	218
1911 . .	178	196	186	170	103	101	94	156	160	131	131	200
1912 . .	176	228	201	238	106	106	106	181	193	152	167	232
1913 . .	200	276	237	183	110	110	108	188	184	170	174	242
1914 . .	217	268	241	165	131	124	113	206	207	226	204	257
1915 . .	..	282	274	170	159	149	133	201	212	220	212	210
1916 . .	..	294	286	149	143	126	124	175	199	198	203	204
1917 . .	197	262	231	136	142	131	130	193	188	197	190	223
1918 . .	156	224	189	128	166	215	117	321	311	251	231	272
1919 . .	285	354	319	103	244	241	209	437	434	396	319	305
1920 . .	322	447	383	251	207	191	192	314	333	359	277	509
1921 . .	306	385	344	255	215	199	194	392	401	406	325	388
1922 . .	278	335	306	258	241	316	225	287	318	328	277	358
1923 . .	219	301	259	232	162	221	143	214	232	190	181	333
1924 . .	258	279	269	201	154	213	111	239	230	195	207	359
1925 . .	260	394	330	207	181	218	158	283	294	241	200	317
1926 . .	288	356	319	263	191	216	170	295	310	274	276	321
1927 . .	281	385	331	245	109	213	148	293	274	280	259	353
1928 . .	283	359	330	224	166	228	141	253	257	295	272	356
1929 . .	261	300	280	226	150	279	102	204	312	340	284	347
1930 . .	219	315	266	190	143	221	99	207	211	232	155	262
1931 . .	164	213	188	110	91	165	65	134	126	148	112	169

* Not included in the general average.
† Retail prices (average of certain principal stations).
(a) Raree, uncleaned from 1923.
(b) Average of Raree, uncleaned and Ballam from 1923.
(c) Average of Ngatsain and Ngakyauk, special quality, since 1919.

TABLE VI—continued

Index Numbers (unweighted) of average prices of each article, 1861–1931—continued [illegible]

Year	8 Sugar: Dulloah (Calcutta) (a)	8 Sugar: Cane Jaggery (Madras)	9 Tea: [illegible] (Calcutta) (b)	9 Tea: [illegible] (Calcutta) (c)	9 Tea: [illegible] (Calcutta) (d)	9 Tea: [illegible]	10 [illegible] (Calcutta)	Hides: 11 [illegible] (Calcutta)	Hides: 11 [illegible] (Bombay)	Hides: 12 [illegible] (Calcutta)	Hides: 13 [illegible] (Calcutta)
1861	101	..	..	..	..	..	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1862	112	..	..	..	..	..	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1863	93	..	..	..	..	..	..	[illegible]	100?	[illegible]	[illegible]
1864	133	..	..	..	..	..	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1865	111	..	..	..	..	..	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1866	100	..	..	..	..	..	..	100	109?	[illegible]	109?
1867	95	152	..	..	..	..	..	[illegible]	117?	[illegible]	[illegible]
1868	91	101	..	..	..	..	..	109?	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1869	108	141	..	..	..	..	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1870	86	127	..	..	..	..	..	[illegible]	109?	[illegible]	[illegible]
1871	79	116	100	100	[illegible]	100	100	100?	[illegible]	100?	104?
1872	80	116	94	100	[illegible]	101?	[illegible]	104?	101?	[illegible]	[illegible]
1873	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1874	94	102	11?	119?	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1875	97	91	111	119?	[illegible]	100?	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1876	95	104	123	113	[illegible]	[illegible]	94?	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1877	108	135	119	114	119	117	[illegible]	100	101	[illegible]	[illegible]
1878	107	124	92	84	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	104?	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1879	115	134	94	70	[illegible]	[illegible]	100	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1880	130	134	83	75	[illegible]	[illegible]	120	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1881	120	135	87	77	77	81?	100	101	104	[illegible]	[illegible]
1882	110	123	81	77	81	[illegible]	100	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1883	113	115	69	70	75	71?	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1884	107	95	67	50	71	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1885	108	92	69	50	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	91?	[illegible]	[illegible]
1886	110	106	77	63	81?	71?	91	101	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1887	102	91	60	57	67	[illegible]	87?	100?	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1888	95	118	67	52	60	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1889	104	137	57	46	50	[illegible]	[illegible]	110?	110?	110?	[illegible]
1890	125	101	57	51	60	[illegible]	100	[illegible]	109?	[illegible]	[illegible]
1891	108	98	64	52	67	50	109	100	103?	[illegible]	[illegible]
1892	107	102	65	42	50	40	109?	114	118	[illegible]	[illegible]
1893	117	142	64	52	60	60	94	124	126	[illegible]	[illegible]
1894	137	100	50	41	60	54?	100	147	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1895	128	92	71	61?	[illegible]	70	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1896	114	105	60	48	63	50	104	95	111	[illegible]	[illegible]
1897	95	97	52	43	51	44	100?	94	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1898	95	107	57	42	53	51	97	91	94	[illegible]	[illegible]
1899	99	113	42	40	51	44	102	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1900	110	107	46	41	60	44	105	142	153?	112	[illegible]
1901	113	94	31	30	35	32	121	126	[illegible]	118	[illegible]
1902	87	83	40	37	47	41	125	150	[illegible]	119?	[illegible]
1903	83	83	50	48	63	52	97	119	125	[illegible]	[illegible]
1904	96	99	54	48	60	54	99	92	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1905	112	126	50	41	47	46	110	102	104	116?	[illegible]
1906	107	90	54	41	41	46	109	127	130	131	136
1907	120	92	60	59	69	62	130	112	124	[illegible]	[illegible]
1908	117	112	67	64	73	64	131	130	137	[illegible]	[illegible]
1909	122	111	56	55	69	67	119	137	141	127	[illegible]
1910	126	126	60	62	73	64	128	176	173	113	[illegible]
1911	113	122	67	64	81	70	[illegible]	209?	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1912	115	122	62	64	84	79?	[illegible]	187	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1913	122	101	62	62	73	[illegible]	[illegible]	127	136	[illegible]	[illegible]
1914	97	101	61	64	[illegible]	[illegible]	154	124	141	144	[illegible]
1915	140	120	73	85	114	[illegible]	[illegible]	119	124	127	[illegible]
1916	172	173	73	77	94	[illegible]	[illegible]	124	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1917	152	149	64	64	[illegible]	72	[illegible]	124	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1918	127	172	62	61	[illegible]	64?	[illegible]	112	[illegible]	146?	[illegible]
1919	207	193	62	57	72	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	211?	[illegible]	[illegible]
1920	240	266	54	59	77?	61	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1921	[illegible]	201	33	24	25	24	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1922	[illegible]	325	90?	95?	[illegible]	97?	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1923	[illegible]	243	[illegible]	[illegible]	142?	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1924	123	229	113?	136?	144?	127?	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1925	..	241	119?	124	151?	131?	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1926	..	[illegible]	113?	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1927	..	244?	[illegible]	[illegible]	134?	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1928	..	234?	[illegible]	[illegible]	141?	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1929	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1930	..	[illegible]	77	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1931	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

TABLE VI—*continued*

Index Numbers (unweighted) of average prices of each article, 1861—1931—continued

(Price in 1873 = 100.)

EXPORTED ARTICLES—*continued*

Year	15 Castor oil (Calcutta)	16 Jute, raw: Picked (Calcutta) * (a)	16 Jute, raw: Ordinary (Calcutta) * (b)	16 Jute, raw: On average prices	17 Jute, manufactured, gunny bags (Calcutta)	18 Cotton, raw Broach (Bombay)	Cotton, manufactured: 19 Yarn 20s (Bombay)	Cotton, manufactured: 20 T. cloth (Bombay) (c)	21 Silk, raw, European filature or Cossimbazar (Calcutta) (d)	22 Wool, raw (Bombay)	22 Wool, raw (Karachi)†
1861	96	88	74	81	86	55	..	..	79	70	..
1862	105	85	68	77	91	81	..	..	74	77	..
1863	96	120	107	113	100	144	..	..	80	103	..
1864	90	130	121	130	113	229	..	..	72	72	..
1865	87	104	85	91	109	134	..	..	93	83	..
1866	96	120	112	120	108	160	..	..	102	94	..
1867	96	108	110	109	107	106	..	..	106	82	..
1868	105	98	100	99	95	75	..	..	111	70	..
1869	97	104	104	104	101	96	..	..	113	66	..
1870	97	128	120	128	130	118	..	..	117	64	55
1871	97	138	140	130	113	78	..	..	103	77	65
1872	103	137	138	137	110	95	..	..	99	81	121
1873	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	..	..	**100**	**100**	**100**
1874	100	145	120	137	88	82	100	100	82	68	66
1875	87	113	90	107	102	80	81	86	60	70	66
1876	77	120	113	121	84	75	80	76	68	54	73
1877	110	152	141	117	97	82	86	89	98	81	68
1878	117	143	139	141	98	81	79	83	78	66	58
1879	109	116	136	141	93	86	77	80	70	57	62
1880	93	166	161	164	90	98	84	85	87	115	94
1881	81	154	115	150	112	95	85	89	78	105	77
1882	82	125	119	122	113	90	78	83	83	96	79
1883	86	103	94	99	94	77	74	78	73	96	77
1884	87	136	128	132	103	85	72	75	65	96	64
1885	70	112	104	108	91	90	71	73	58	96	60
1886	79	131	114	124	85	84	72	77	70	96	63
1887	81	137	121	120	108	85	71	76	83	82	85
1888	87	154	141	148	124	95	78	76	69	68	82
1889	101	205	203	204	126	92	79	77	75	68	82
1890	113	189	177	183	113	91	73	77	81	68	75
1891	100	137	130	134	94	84	69	77	74	68	63
1892	113	214	203	208	118	75	66	75	68	68	65
1893	100	190	181	186	110	93	75	77	81	65	78
1894	113	224	221	221	108	84	71	80	72	68	70
1895	103	186	180	183	110	79	69	78	68	68	79
1896	113	101	184	187	103	85	75	77	67	68	78
1897	136	194	179	187	97	77	73	77	64	65	76
1898	130	156	139	148	82	68	61	76	64	68	66
1899	117	170	161	165	88	59	59	79	78	62	60
1900	135	197	190	194	108	85	61	73	81	62	57
1901	110	193	181	187	104	84	67	87	68	67	54
1902	125	186	174	181	94	83	66	84	61	66	49
1903	102	199	189	194	97	81	67	81	67	59	58
1904	113	194	181	188	108	97	77	87	66	59	69
1905	129	236	228	232	117	85	81	102	71	..	83
1906	147	340	325	333	144	99	85	105	77	..	75
1907	157	370	311	341	161	98	81	97	87	..	69
1908	143	200	211	246	140	97	74	97	62	..	56
1909	148	192	179	185	126	95	77	91	63	..	59
1910	163	196	183	190	127	119	89	98	61	..	66
1911	161	308	294	301	143	134	104	114	66	..	70
1912	151	312	275	294	165	111	94	114	70	..	78
1913	155	427	303	396	178	121	95	114	72	..	75
1914	161	468	427	448	193	114	88	103	75	..	80
1915	153	296	254	275	176	80	68	89	70	..	83
1916	151	326	273	300	190	115	87	108	77	..	110
1917	166	337	262	300	190	181	137	154	98	..	104
1918	206	304	225	265	307	256	227	265	110	..	106
1919	283	548	445	497	270	249	250	276	112	..	107
1920	234	479	302	436	250	197	294	305	124	..	90
1921	180	526	380	454	178	127	106	274	122	..	61
1922	199	400	431	461	226	201	208	250	149	..	64
1923	207	471	408	410	237	196	176	212	162	..	85
1924	231	381	352	368	266	228	208	228	142	..	108
1925	215	504	487	496	205	180	170	203	92	..	150
1926	173	627	603	616	319	136	187	160	91	..	101
1927	158	408	356	383	262	116	117	130	96	..	98
1928	150	433	302	412	257	156	140	144	98	..	98
1929	158	378	360	374	214	133	140	151	84	..	102
1930	150	310	277	294	181	97	119	136	69	..	76
1931	115	197	166	182	134	70	87	113	48	--	44

* Not [illegible]

† [illegible]

(a) [illegible] 1905. [illegible] (red) group from July 1903 and 'Reds' from 1922.

(b) [illegible] Group from 1886 and 'First Grade' from 1922.

(c) From July 1926, the index number has been worked out at Rs. 1-1-0 per lb, representing 173% of the base price.

(d) Filature Silk 12-16 Denier from 1928.

TABLE VI—*continued*

Index Numbers (unweighted) of average prices of each article, 1861—1931—continued.

(Price in 1873=100)

Year	23 Hides, raw (declared value)	24 Skins, dressed: Goat (Madras) *	24 Skins, dressed: Sheep (Madras) *	24 Skins, dressed: On average prices	25 Coal (Calcutta)	26 Lac, shell: First orange (Calcutta) * (a)	26 Lac, shell: Second orange (Calcutta) * (b)	26 Lac, shell: On average prices	27 Saltpetre (Calcutta)	28 Indigo (Calcutta)	1—28 Total of the percentages of exported articles	No. of articles taken in each year	Index number for exported articles
						EXPORTED ARTICLES—*concluded*							
1861	..		.	.		93	89	91	107	91	1,957	21	93
1862	..	.	.	.	.	85	84	84	104	112	1,828	21	87
1863		..	..	.		90	87	89	110	99	1,945	21	93
1864	..	.	..			81	83	82	101	[illegible]	2,152	21	102
1865	..	.	..	.		53	52	52	88	91	2,0[illegible]2	21	100
1866		76	68	72	.	48	46	47	82	93	2,459	22	112
1867	66	94	82	83		43	45	43	65	91	2,235	23	102
1868	71	102	107	104		46	45	45	69	99	2,159	23	94
1869	74	88	95	91		50	41	45	80	109	2,451	23	108
1870	77	105	103	106		59	53	56	84	121	2,412	23	105
1871	80	106	100	101		82	79	80	95	112	2,378	25	95
1872	85	118	129	121	.	87	86	86	102	127	2,522	25	101
1873	100	100	100	100	.	100	100	100	100	100	2,500	25	100
1874	103	89	90	89		154	157	155	83	114	2,749	27	102
1875	103	113	98	106		172	173	173	78	109	2,575	27	95
1876	100	110	95	103		93	80	87	75	91	2,440	27	90
1877	96	99	102	100		59	52	56	69	110	2,952	27	119
1878	83	103	102	103		53	47	50	87	88	3,034	27	114
1879	87	109	107	108		65	61	63	83	114	3,022	27	112
1880	99	112	152	128		131	125	128	88	121	2,970	27	110
1881	102	115	126	118	.	116	105	111	90	105	2,675	27	99
1882	103	118	128	122	.	87	76	82	91	116	2,584	27	95
1883	106	120	137	127		80	72	76	81	107	2,501	27	93
1884	110	109	129	117	.	85	80	82	74	117	2,592	27	96
1885	107	114	120	116	.	58	53	55	67	103	2,456	27	91
1886	111	118	127	122		58	50	55	73	107	2,495	27	93
1887	114	128	129	125		53	45	49	76	70	2,545	27	94
1888	107	133	132	132		68	55	62	61	82	2,656	27	98
1889	112	135	133	134	100	102	79	91	66	93	2,928	28	104
1890	109	137	133	135	103	97	91	94	55	76	2,921	28	104
1891	108	129	132	130	99	85	77	81	82	86	2,888	28	103
1892	118	134	133	133	101	102	93	97	83	74	3,064	28	109
1893	121	152	163	157	93	127	118	123	95	114	3,127	28	112
1894	115	143	154	150	91	123	127	127	109	109	3,071	28	110
1895	127	154	152	153	129	163	169	166	118	105	3,109	28	111
1896	139	139	153	147	121	135	131	134	95	105	3,269	28	117
1897	132	137	160	146	109	97	91	94	79	84	3,476	28	124
1898	133	125	115	120	96	93	91	92	74	76	2,867	28	102
1899	132	122	119	121	107	89	86	84	82	57	2,800	28	100
1900	135	126	134	130	111	76	73	75	84	74	3,462	28	124
1901	133	124	132	127	120	80	77	79	83	65	3,240	28	116
1902	142	144	146	145	117	123	125	124	85	65	3,168	28	113
1903	149	131	158	142	97	131	145	138	66	61	2,896	28	103
1904	153	115	166	136	100	178	180	179	91	67	2,915	28	104
1905	173	112	190	143	93	126	136	131	109	55	3,250	28	116
1906	184	153	243	191	93	165	175	170	108	61	3,879	28	139
1907	202	143	216	164	114	176	177	177	114	65	4,068	28	145
1908	202	116	167	136	171	114	115	114	110	61	4,074	27	151
1909	194	122	190	149	129	65	67	66	106	57	3,734	28	133
1910	201	131	189	153	111	59	58	59	112	59	3,565	28	127
1911	201	139	211	167	111	61	59	60	141	55	3,800	28	136
1912	210	143	243	182	114	52	51	52	145	52	4,073	28	145
1913	239	176	261	211	120	70	79	70	149	53	4,304	28	154
1914	232	163	254	199	149	62	66	64	152	63	4,490	28	160
1915	234	145	232	179	140	45	49	47	147	219	4,330	28	155
1916	249	221	365	279	127	61	64	64	184	215	4,578	28	163
1917	207	234	372	289	127	131	141	136	154	205	4,762	28	170
1918	183	206	429	355	149	154	166	162	192	105	5,684	28	189
1919	234	425	571	483	183	197	200	194	173	112	7,753	28	277
1920	176	462	571	505	226	264	311	353	173	137	7,880	28	281
1921	110	237	410	366	269	213	279	240	179	147	6,697	28	238
1922	143	312	419	355	514	292	291	292	214	111	6,855	28	245
1923	171	237	419	370	500	257	248	252	179	110	6,275	28	224
1924	179	209	424	347	429	231	235	231	152	91	6,226	28	[illegible]
1925	194	250	343	297	239	199	197	198	152	90	6,511	28	[illegible]
1926	144	231	410	302	301	118	120	119	163	79	6,201	28	[illegible]
1927	138	212	243	264	282	184	186	185	136	82	5,850	28	[illegible]
1928	154	237	457	345	275	173	176	175	129	75	5,946	28	[illegible]
1929	167	460	425	435	279	159	155	154	123	75	6,059	28	[illegible]
1930	127	256	302	278	284	99	105	102	122	75	4[illegible]	28	[illegible]

TABLE

Index Numbers (unweighted) of average
(Price in

Year	29 Sugar		30	Cotton Manufactured			34	Metals		
	Mauritius (Bombay) †	Beet* (Calcutta)	Salt (Calcutta)	31 Grey shirtings (Calcutta)	32 Grey yarn, Lancer Mill (Calcutta) (a)	33 Coloured yarn, orange 20s to 40s (Calcutta)	Silk, raw, Canton No. 5 (Bombay) (b)	35 Iron, flat, bolt, bar and square (Calcutta) (c)	36 Copper braziers (Calcutta)	37 Spelter, hard (Calcutta)
1861	..	..	[illegible]	95	79	95	102	74	102	115
1862	..	..	61	134	97	105	107	61	99	113
1863	..	..	48	147	167	147	116	58	99	112
1864	..	..	79	[illegible]	210	237	111	65	104	110
1865	..	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	172	215	149	60	90	94
1866	..	..	125	157	163	175	204	75	90	111
1867	..	..	116	135	127	120	160	81	91	202
1868	..	..	97	111	97	100	165	65	83	145
1869	..	..	[illegible]	113	137	87	160	59	84	122
1870	94	..	[illegible]	112	[illegible]	102	149	63	76	110
1871	[illegible]	..	[illegible]	77	88	92	124	65	75	102
1872	81	..	[illegible]	67	92	97	96	82	93	107
1873	100	..	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1874	81	..	[illegible]	93	91	[illegible]	89	107	102	103
1875	94	..	67	84	[illegible]	91	89	87	102	127
1876	84	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	84	104	75	100	149
1877	119	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	87	109	65	86	141
1878	68	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	95	59	83	123
1879	[illegible]	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	88	55	78	97
1880	[illegible]	..	71	[illegible]	[illegible]	87	124	67	80	108
1881	[illegible]	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	86	139	55	81	95
1882	[illegible]	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	84	162	63	85	92
1883	[illegible]	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	81	150	62	79	75
1884	[illegible]	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	74	[illegible]	131	58	72	79
1885	[illegible]	..	[illegible]	74	70	75	139	[illegible]	62	86
1886	[illegible]	..	[illegible]	84	[illegible]	[illegible]	160	50	57	101
1887	[illegible]	..	[illegible]	84	[illegible]	[illegible]	167	54	62	109
1888	[illegible]	..	[illegible]	79	[illegible]	[illegible]	157	64	[illegible]	112
1889	[illegible]	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	151	67	82	105
1890	[illegible]	..	[illegible]	74	[illegible]	[illegible]	147	74	72	154
1891	64	[illegible]	71	[illegible]	[illegible]	73	142	62	74	154
1892	74	121	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	71	120	62	74	151
1893	[illegible]	112	[illegible]	74	[illegible]	[illegible]	135	66	75	177
1894	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	71	[illegible]	137	67	76	125
1895	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	132	69	83	129
1896	[illegible]	107	105	[illegible]	[illegible]	83	125	71	82	128
1897	[illegible]	94	71	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	94	75	81	141
1898	65	71	[illegible]	64	[illegible]	[illegible]	94	74	82	149
1899	61	[illegible]	71	61	[illegible]	[illegible]	93	78	95	158
1900	60	93	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	71	122	83	110	157
1901	64	84	81	[illegible]	[illegible]	86	114	79	111	139
1902	75	[illegible]	67	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	118	71	97	141
1903	[illegible]	[illegible]	63	79	75	[illegible]	115	70	92	156
1904	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	61	92	126	65	95	179
1905	67	91	[illegible]	55	64	[illegible]	147	61	103	208
1906	[illegible]	67	[illegible]	65	81	[illegible]	161	65	123	241
1907	58	74	61	95	92	[illegible]	189	117	152	217
1908	55	81	[illegible]	92	103	[illegible]	149	131	105	184
1909	[illegible]	81	45	[illegible]	73	67	140	127	99	195
1910	65	87	49	56	[illegible]	83	164	129	95	209
1911	71	77	71	105	[illegible]	99	161	130	94	215
1912	60	[illegible]	71	107	83	94	171	132	105	230
1913	53	[illegible]	61	104	90	95	182	131	115	219
1914	49	74	65	103	91	98	182	126	113	189
1915	59	..	142	99	77	97	183	140	120	352
1916	114	..	178	108	108	129	216	222	164	1,033
1917	121	..	256	123	148	185	221	356	199	898
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1922	120	..	136	214	205	212	196	259	146	228
1923	127	..	116	215	179	182	196	267	135	267
1924	143	..	111	256	197	192	409	281	123	267
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ARTICLES					GENERAL INDEX NUMBER			
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..	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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85	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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86	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
93	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
73	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
59	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
75	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
73	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
100	.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
110	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
73	.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
82	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
67	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
89	.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
80	.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
74	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
59	.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
50	.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
57	.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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63	93	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
49	68	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
58	84	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
57	74	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
62	89	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
64	104	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
78	139	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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65	84	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
70	105	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
90	131	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
94	126	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
73	104	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
85	119	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
71	126	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
83	117	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
74	128	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
79	139	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
88	124	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
71	126	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
73	142	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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125	144	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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178	197	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
243	214	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
166	212	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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167	214	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
143	204	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
141	205	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
126	273	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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(a) The index numbers from [illegible]

TABLE

Index Numbers (unweighted) of average
(Price in

IMPORTED

YEAR	29 Sugar: Mauritius (Bombay) †	29 Sugar: Beet* (Calcutta)	30 Salt (Calcutta)	Cotton Manufactured: 31 Grey shirtings (Calcutta)	Cotton Manufactured: 32 Grey yarn, Banner Mill (Calcutta) (a)	Cotton Manufactured: 33 Coloured yarn, orange 60s to 40s (Calcutta)	34 Silk, raw, Canton No. 5 (Bombay) (b)	Metals: 35 Iron, flat, bolt, bar and square (Calcutta) (c)	Metals: 36 Copper braziers (Calcutta)	Metals: 37 Spelter, hard (Calcutta)
1861	..	..	..	95	79	95	102	74	102	115
1862	..	..	76	104	95	105	107	61	99	113
1863	..	..	61	147	167	147	116	58	99	112
1864	..	..	48	202	210	207	111	65	104	110
1865	..	..	79	183	172	215	149	60	90	94
1866	..	..	125	157	160	135	204	75	90	111
1867	..	..	116	135	127	120	160	81	91	202
1868	..	..	97	111	93	106	169	66	83	145
1869	..	..	75	109	107	83	160	59	84	122
1870	95	..	72	112	109	103	149	63	76	110
1871	100	..	57	97	88	95	124	65	75	102
1872	91	..	77	98	99	97	96	82	93	107
1873	100	..	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1874	91	..	102	93	91	99	89	107	102	108
1875	94	..	67	84	89	91	89	87	102	127
1876	86	..	57	82	87	84	104	75	100	149
1877	110	..	60	75	85	87	100	65	90	141
1878	98	..	86	73	78	75	95	59	83	123
1879	97	..	92	76	77	79	98	55	78	97
1880	109	..	71	80	86	87	124	67	80	108
1881	98	..	64	80	82	86	159	55	81	95
1882	90	..	60	78	77	84	162	65	86	92
1883	90	..	68	79	73	81	130	62	79	75
1884	86	..	63	76	74	78	131	58	72	79
1885	69	..	67	74	70	75	139	52	62	86
1886	72	..	81	84	65	72	160	50	57	101
1887	69	..	88	81	65	77	167	54	62	109
1888	68	..	107	79	75	86	157	63	88	112
1889	75	..	107	79	76	85	151	67	82	108
1890	73	..	88	74	73	83	147	74	72	154
1891	64	..	74	77	69	75	142	62	74	154
1892	74	100	70	72	62	71	150	62	74	151
1893	86	121	88	74	73	78	135	66	75	177
1894	77	112	69	72	71	80	137	67	76	126
1895	72	106	66	70	70	80	153	69	83	129
1896	72	103	100	72	73	80	135	71	82	128
1897	62	94	91	70	66	80	94	75	81	141
1898	60	91	76	64	59	67	93	74	82	149
1899	61	86	71	73	57	62	93	78	95	188
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..	..	662	7	95	2,519	28	90	1861
..	..	760	8	95	2,598	29	90	1862
..	..	907	8	113	2 852	29	98	1863
..	..	1,057	8	132	3 210	29	111	1864
85	..	1,127	9	125	3,219	30	107	1865
79	..	1,136	9	126	3 564	31	115	1866
86	..	1,118	9	124	3,453	32	108	1867
93	..	963	9	107	3,123	32	98	1868
73	..	872	9	97	3,353	32	105	1869
59	..	948	10	95	3,360	33	102	1870
75	..	878	10	88	3 256	35	93	1871
73	..	913	10	91	3 436	35	98	1872
100	..	1 000	10	100	3,500	35	100	1873
110	..	995	10	99	3,743	37	101	1874
73	..	903	10	90	3,478	37	94	1875
82	..	906	10	91	3,346	37	90	1876
87	..	880	10	88	3 863	37	104	1877
69	..	839	10	84	3 923	37	106	1878
80	..	829	10	83	3,851	37	104	1879
74	..	885	10	88	3,855	37	104	1880
59	..	859	10	86	3,534	37	96	1881
50	..	850	10	85	3,414	37	92	1882
57	..	794	10	79	3,295	37	89	1883
64	..	781	10	78	3 373	37	91	1884
60	..	754	10	75	3,212	37	87	1885
55	..	797	10	80	3 295	37	89	1886
58	..	830	10	83	3 375	37	91	1887
75	100	1,010	11	92	3 666	38	96	1888
68	105	1,003	11	91	3 929	39	101	1889
67	93	998	11	91	3 919	39	100	1890
49	88	928	11	84	3,814	39	98	1891
38	84	928	11	84	3 992	39	102	1892
57	74	983	11	89	4 110	39	105	1893
62	89	926	11	84	3 997	39	102	1894
64	104	960	11	87	4,069	39	104	1895
78	139	1,029	11	94	4,395	39	110	1896
73	115	948	11	86	4 424	39	113	1897
83	94	883	11	80	3 750	39	96	1898
70	105	953	11	87	3,753	39	96	1899
80	131	1,060	11	96	4 522	39	116	1900
84	128	1 056	11	96	4 296	39	110	1901
73	104	950	11	86	4 118	39	106	1902
65	116	965	11	88	3,861	39	99	1903
71	126	1 025	11	93	3 940	39	101	1904
63	117	1 057	11	96	4 307	39	110	1905
74	128	1,158	11	105	5 037	39	129	1906
79	130	1,272	11	116	5 340	39	137	1907
86	134	1 168	11	106	5 242	38	138	1908
71	136	1 093	11	99	4 827	39	124	1909
73	142	1,197	11	109	4,762	39	122	1910
76	140	1 241	11	113	5 041	39	129	1911
[illegible]	139	1 286	11	117	5 359	39	137	1912
[illegible]	142	1 285	11	117	5 589	39	143	1913
92	166	1,257	11	114	5 747	39	147	1914
129	146	1 604	11	146	5 934	39	152	1915
157	159	2 596	11	236	7 174	39	184	1916
178	197	2 880	11	262	7 642	39	196	1917
263	253	3 179	11	289	8 763	39	225	1918
166	312	3 015	11	274	10 738	39	276	1919
199	314	3 083	11	283	10,963	39	281	1920
167	314	2 509	11	228	9 205	39	236	1921
153	306	2 206	11	201	9 061	39	232	1922
141	295	2 120	11	193	8 395	39	215	1923
[illegible]	278	2 392	11	217	8 618	39	221	1924
117	278	2 325	11	211	8 836	39	227	1925
114	279	2,145	11	195	8 431	39	214	1926
122	285	2 030	11	185	7 880	39	202	1927
218	249	1,879	11	171	7 825	39	201	1928
111	250	1,872	11	170	7 931	39	203	1929
97	250	1 722	11	157	6,681	39	171	1930
91	247	1 470	11	134	4,966	39	127	1931

(a) The index numbers from 1927 relate to prices of Natal Coal and have been worked out on the basis of Rs. 17 2 11 per ton = 110.

TABLE VII

Retail prices of food-grains in India, 1861—1931.

Year	Prices in seers per rupee						
	Rice	Wheat	Jowar	Bajra	Gram	Barley	Ragi
1861	21·00	21·29	23·17	23·05	29·39	30·78	24·2
1862	26·43	24·77	26·77	25·07	30·5	48·47	25·2
1863	25·24	22·03	20·03	23·65	34·91	46·74	24·1
1864	20·64	17·83	21·12	18·08	27·64	38·16	21·6
1865	15·45	15·8	20·23	18·25	22·57	29·4	19·75
1866	12·8	14·2	19·08	18·82	18·91	28·66	14·05
1867	15·32	18·08	21·30	10·31	20·09	32·85	11·25
1868	17·99	18·03	21·7	18·05	20·38	28·79	18·75
1869	15·31	12·3	16·59	13·87	12·34	18·45	26·45
1870	18·24	13·41	20·07	18·03	15·61	24·98	28·49
1871	21·24	20·17	26·22	20·92	21·93	31·85	47·53
1872	22·73	18·52	24·77	20·08	22·48	27·92	46·25
1873	19·8	18·23	25·02	22·36	23·81	27·02	30·43
1874	16·62	19·41	26·22	22·98	26	27·47	28·17
1875	19·38	22·1	27·8	24·90	20·75	32·77	26·38
1876	17·36	23·44	27·22	25·46	34·65	37·57	18·01
1877	14·87	17·86	18·65	17·45	25·98	30·78	9·23
1878	12·44	12·43	13·06	12·65	13·49	21·04	12·14
1879	12·81	11·53	15·66	14·08	13·44	19·25	18·09
1880	16·32	15·39	22·32	19·1	18·81	24·96	24·13
1881	20·66	18·91	27·54	22·74	23·92	29·78	30·71
1882	20·68	18·05	27·47	22·05	25·73	31·5	30·83
1883	17·95	17·63	28·8	23·42	26·86	31·77	31·67
1884	14·7	20·1	26·85	23·88	27·06	31·46	29·63
1885	14·12	20·49	25·59	23·44	27·07	34·91	25·73
1886	15·52	17·74	22·98	20·60	25·31	31·97	27·67
1887	16·14	15·1	20·32	18·35	20·9	23·59	31·07
1888	15·1	14·8	19·68	16·36	19·38	21·5	31·81
1889	13·36	15·43	21·28	17·78	21·14	25·46	30·24
1890	13·51	15·54	21·05	19·13	19·75	23·47	27·77
1891	13·23	13·31	18·61	16·42	18·22	20·84	22·07
1892	11·09	12·06	18·43	16·02	18·9	20·78	17·19
1893	12·21	14·36	20·84	18·5	21·26	24·18	20·83
1894	13·04	17·43	22·88	19·51	24·79	29·9	22·82
1895	13·87	15·71	21·04	19·07	20·17	24·4	25·73
1896	12·25	11·92	16·79	13·92	14·52	15·9	23·83
1897	9·58	8·86	11·84	10·98	9·7	13·1	16·78
1898	12·57	12·73	19·58	17·58	17·74	24·41	17·51
1899	13·68	13·06	18·84	18·16	17·27	22·13	21·46
1900	11·55	10·35	12·08	11·4	11·54	15·55	14·22
1901	11·02	11·41	17·84	16·85	15·71	21·02	14·65
1902	12·02	12·86	19·14	17·07	17·97	21·25	19·49
1903	12·41	14·1	22·25	19·89	19·16	22·1	24·73
1904	13·45	14·86	23·22	20·8	22·18	26·17	24·57
1905	11·73	12·87	18·41	15·63	18·05	21·33	17·12
1906	9·48	11·78	14·51	12·9	14·21	17·55	13·52
1907	8·64	10·88	15·55	15·04	14·04	16·57	13·91
1908	7·81	8·05	11·49	10·94	9·46	12·38	12·59
1909	8·98	8·97	14·29	13·49	12·78	16·35	12·3
1910	10·01	10·75	15·8	14·31	17·02	20·8	13·93
1911	9·05	11·91	15·99	13·97	18·24	20·65	13·18
1912	8·62	10·71	13·82	11·6	15·64	16·17	13·11
1913	7·77	10·32	13·33	12·14	14·04	15·53	12·58
1914	7·79	9·13	12·16	10·78	10·54	13·25	11·82
1915	8·04	8·03	12·45	10·56	10·82	12·72	14·51
1916	8·45	9·46	14·26	11·26	12·04	13·34	14·92
1917	9·22	8·9	12·07	11·87	12·06	14·19	13·67
1918	8·69	6·74	7·79	7·18	9·49	11·53	11·17
1910	5·55	5·35	5·72	5·15	6·02	8·47	6·03
1920	5·26	5·88	7·28	6·71	6·64	9·74	5·93
1921	5·58	5·07	6·39	5·57	5·87	8·32	7·84
1922	6·08	5·78	8·72	7·04	7·27	9·74	8·51
1923	6·42	5·12	11·67	9·65	12·5	14·92	9·14
1924	5·91	7·42	10·45	9·34	12·21	13·06	8
1925	5·62	6·21	8·84	7·61	9·9	10·05	8·73
1926	5·52	6·48	8·47	7·22	8·7	9·79	9·4
1927	5·38	6·84	8·54	8·16	8·49	10·45	8·61
1928	5·54	6·91	9·87	8·70	8·06	9·95	8·54
1929	5·89	6·95	8·52	7·17	7·00	9·52	8·76
1930	7·26	10·30	12·10	10·60	10·27	17·48	11·60
1931	10·46	14·50	18·74	17·74	16·10	24·22	18·01

NOTE—For index numbers of these prices, see Summary Table III on page 3

TABLE VIII

Gold Prices in India and foreign countries from 1890 to 1931, as compared with the level of prices prevailing in each country in the quinquennial period 1890—1894.

Year	India						United Kingdom		Canada	United States		France	Australia
	Department of Statistics (Unweighted)				Weighted	Prices Enquiry Committee (Calcutta)	*Economist*	Sauerbeck (now *Statist*)	Dominion Bureau of Statistics	Dun	Gibson	*La Réforme Economique*	Bureau of Census and Statistics
1890—94	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
	39 articles	11 articles	28 articles	7 articles	100 articles	102 articles	44 articles	45 articles	502 articles†	200 articles	22 articles	45 articles	92 articles
	General	Imported	Exported	Food-grains									
1890	116	123	113	100	110	115	104	105	107	98	95	104	117
1891	105	105	104	115	105	105	103	105	105	107	111	104	104
1892	98	94	99	110	103	97	90	99	99	98	94	97	102
1893	98	97	98	93	98	97	94	99	98	103	100	101	94
1894	85	82	86	74	84	88	96	92	92	94	95	94	83
1895	91	89	91	81	85	91	80	90	91	88	92	87	84
1896	101	102	102	111	98	96	92	89	87	85	74	85	102
1897	110	99	114	160	123	110	91	90	87	82	76	86	102
1898	93	96	98	110	104	105	91	93	89	87	84	92	90
1899	99	105	96	110	101	105	95	99	93	83	81	99	89
1900	118	114	119	153	119	118	112	109	98	93	97	106	99
1901	111	115	111	125	116	116	108	102	97	104	97	99	108
1902	103	103	108	113	106	111	100	101	99	111	117	97	114
1903	102	106	99	100	103	110	102	101	100	109	107	99	116
1904	104	112	106	93	100	111	104	102	100	109	105	99	98
1905	112	115	112	117	112	119	106	105	101	109	103	93	101
1906	132	127	134	143	132	134	111	112	106	114	100	109	105
1907	140	139	140	144	140	139	117	117	110	117	111	116	113
1908	140	127	144	183	149	138	114	108	104	124	118	105	123
1909	126	110	128	155	134	128	106	108	105	122	129	105	110
1910	124	131	122	134	125	130	116	114	108	135	129	112	111
1911	132	136	131	120	130	131	116	117	109	126	124	118	111
1912	140	140	140	151	145	139	120	124	114	135	137	122	130
1913	146	140	148	159	152	147	128	124	115	132	127	120	129
1914	150	136	134	177	156	*	122	124	117	136	133	*	127
1915	156	176	150	174	153	*	130	157	126	135	140	*	175
1916	189	285	157	162	155	*	168	198	151	150	164	*	167
1917	206	323	169	166	160	*	228	255	204	185	242	*	184
1918	251	378	210	236	196	*	260	291	228	242	229	*	212
1919	361	444	360	430	340	*	283	300	240	252	285	*	225
1920	369	432	348	368	325	*	342	362	279	279	277	*	279
1921	238	270	227	296	235	*	275	226	187	186	157	*	215
1922	233	237	232	247	219	*	202	191	174	189	155	*	187
1923	225	237	221	213	207	*	198	189	175	218	149	*	215
1924	246	284	233	229	234	*	212	202	179	264	172	*	209
1925	261	285	253	267	250	*	225	195	164	214	197	*	204
1926	246	261	242	270	242	*	191	185	172	277	*	*	214
1927	231	249	225	267	241	*	185	179	175	264	*	*	272
1928	230	230	220	262	244	*	181	176	172	212	*	*	184
1929	231	227	231	276	236	*	170†	167	171	204	*	*	209
1930	194	209	189	192	197	*	162	140	155	193	*	*	227
1931	145	179	134	127	146	*	119	121	129	142	*	*	232

TABLE IX

rices of Bar Silver at Bombay and Rates of Exchange from 1873-74 to 1931-32.

Year	Average price (including import duty) of Bar Silver at Bombay		Average rate of exchange per rupee	Year	Average price (including import duty)* of Bar silver at Bombay		Average rate of exchange per rupee
	Per tola	Per Ounce			Per tola	Per Ounce	
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	s. d.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	s. d.
1873-74 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 10·351	1903-04 . . .	0 11 1	1 13 6 2/3	1 4·049
1874-75 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 10·221	1904-05 . . .	0 11 5	1 14 5 1/3	1 4·045
1875-76 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 9·645	1905-06 . . .	0 12 2	2 0 5 1/3	1 4·042
1876-77 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 8·491	1906-07 . . .	0 13 4	2 3 6 2/3	1 4·084
1877-78 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 8·790	1907-08 . . .	0 12 5	2 1 1 1/3	1 4·029
1878-79 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 7·761	1908-09 . . .	0 10 4	1 11 6 2/3	1 3·964
1879-80 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 7·961	1909-10 . . .	0 10 3	1 11 4	1 4·041
1880-81 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 7·956	1910-11 . . .	0 11 7	1 14 10 2/3	1 4·060
1881-82 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 7·895	1911-12 . . .	0 11 8	1 15 1 1/3	1 4·083
1882-83 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 7·525	1912-13 . . .	0 13 0 1/4	2 2 8 2/3	1 4·058
1883-84 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 7·536	1913-14 . . .	0 12 7	2 1 6 2/3	1 4·070
1884-85 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 7·308	1914-15 . . .	0 11 9	1 15 4	1 4·004
1885-86 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 6·254	1915-16 . . .	0 11 8	1 15 1 1/3	1 4·087
1886-87 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 5·441	1916-17 . . .	0 14 10	2 7 6 2/3	1 4·148
1887-88 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 4·890	1917-18 . . .	1 1 0	2 13 4	1 4·532
1888-89 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 4·379	1918-19 . . .	1 2 6	3 1 4	1 5·544
1889-90 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 4·566	1919-20 . . .	1 2 4 1/5	3 0 11 1/5	1 9·690
1890-91 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 6·089	1920-21 . . .	1 0 5	2 11 9	1 8·657
1891-92 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 4·733	1921-22 . . .	0 15 0	2 8 0	1 3·849
1892-93 . . .	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 2·984	1922-23 . . .	0 14 1	2 5 7	1 3·764
1893-94 . . .	0 14 11	2 7 9 1/3	1 2·546	1923-24 . . .	0 13 0	2 2 8	1 4·46
1894-95 . . .	0 14 11 1/2	2 7 10 2/3	1 1·100	1924-25 . . .	0 12 6	2 1 3 1/2	1 5·51
1895-96 . . .	0 15 4	2 8 10 2/3	1 1·638	1925-26 . . .	0 11 6	1 14 7 1/2	1 6·08
1896-97 . . .	0 14 4	2 6 2 2/3	1 2·450	1926-27 . . .	0 10 1 7/15	1 10 11 [illegible]	1 5·902
1897-98 . . .	0 12 0 1/2	2 0 1 1/3	1 3·406	1927-28 . . .	0 9 5 3/4	1 9 3 1/5	1 5·93
1898-99 . . .	0 11 9	1 15 4	1 3·978	1928-29 . . .	0 9 8 2/5	1 9 10 2/5	1 5·97
1899-1900 . . .	0 11 8 3/4	1 15 3 1/3	1 4·067	1929-30 . . .	0 8 7	1 6 10 2/3	1 5·85
1900-1901 . . .	0 12 2	2 0 5 1/3	1 3·973	1930-31 . . .	0 7 6	1 4 0	1 5·78
1901-02 . . .	0 11 4	1 14 2 2/3	1 3·987	1931-32 . . .	0 7 11 7/10	1 5 3 1/5	1 5·91
1902-03 . . .	0 10 0	1 10 8	1 4·002				

NOTE.—The figures for calendar years not being readily available those for official years have been stated in this table.
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APPENDIX A

The following are the articles included under each group, referred to in Summary tables. The year from which quotations are available, is given in brackets

(i) Index number for exported articles (28 articles)

1. Rice—average of Moonghy and Ballam (1861)
2. Wheat (1861)
3. Jowar (1861)
4. Bajra (1861)
5. *Gram (1861)*
6. Barley (1861)
7. Ragi (1861)
8. Sugar (1861)
9. Tea—average of Pekoe, Souchong and Congou (1871)
10. Ghi (1871)
11. Linseed (1861)
12. Rapeseed (1861)
13. Sesamum (til or jinjili seed) (1861)
14. Poppy seed (1861)
15. Castor Oil (1861)
16. Jute, raw—average of picked and ordinary (1861)
17. Jute—gunny bags (1861)
18. Cotton, raw (1861)
19. *Cotton yarn (1874)*
20. T. Cloth (1874)
21. Silk, raw (1861)
22. Wool, raw (1861)
23. Hides, raw (1867)
24. Skins, dressed—average of goat and sheep (1860)
25. Coal (1889)
26. Lac, Shell—average of T. N. and A. C. Garnet *(1861)*
27. Saltpetre (1861)
28. Indigo (1861)

(ii) Index number for imported articles (11 articles)

1. Sugar—*Mauritius (1870)*
2. Salt (1862)
3. Grey shirtings (1861)
4. Grey yarn (1861)
5. Coloured yarn (1861)
6. Silk, raw (1861)
7. Iron (1861)
8. Copper (1861)
9. Spelter (1861)
10. *Coal (1865)*
11. Kerosene Oil (1888)

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	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	s. d.
1873-74	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 10·351
1874-75	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 10·221
1875-76	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 9·645
1876-77	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 8·491
1877-78	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 8·790
1878-79	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 7·761
1879-80	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 7·961
1880-81	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 7·956
1881-82	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 7·895
1882-83	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 7·525
1883-84	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 7·536
1884-85	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 7·308
1885-86	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 6·254
1886-87	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 5·441
1887-88	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 4·899
1888-89	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 4·379
1889-90	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 4·566
1890-91	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 6·089
1891-92	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 4·733
1892-93	1 0 0	2 10 8	1 2·984
1893-94	0 14 11	2 7 9⅓	1 2·546
1894-95	0 14 11½	2 7 10⅔	1 1·100
1895-96	0 15 4	2 8 10⅔	1 1·638
1896-97	0 14 4	2 6 2⅔	1 2·450
1897-98	0 12 0½	2 0 1⅓	1 3·406
1898-99	0 11 9	1 15 4	1 3·978
1899-1900	0 11 8¾	1 15 3⅓	1 4·067
1900-1901	0 12 2	2 0 5⅓	1 3·973
1901-02	0 11 4	1 14 2⅔	1 3·987
1902-03	0 10 0	1 10 8	1 4·002
1903-04	0 11 1	1 13 6⅔	1 4·049
1904-05	0 11 5	1 14 5⅓	1 4·045
1905-06	0 12 2	2 0 5⅓	1 4·042
1906-07	0 13 4	2 3 6⅔	1 4·084
1907-08	0 12 5	2 1 1⅓	1 4·029
1908-09	0 10 4	1 11 6⅔	1 3·964
1909-10	0 10 3	1 11 4	1 4·041
1910-11	0 11 7	1 14 10⅔	1 4·060
1911-12	0 11 8	1 15 1⅓	1 4·083
1912-13	0 13 0¼	2 2 8⅔	1 4·058
1913-14	0 12 7	2 1 6⅔	1 4·070
1914-15	0 11 9	1 15 4	1 4·004
1915-16	0 11 8	1 15 1⅓	1 4·087
1916-17	0 14 10	2 7 6⅔	1 4·148
1917-18	1 1 0	2 13 4	1 4·532
1918-19	1 2 6	3 1 4	1 5·544
1919-20	1 2 4½	3 0 11⅓	1 9·690
1920-21	1 0 5	2 11 9	1 8·657
1921-22	0 15 0	2 8 0	1 3·849
1922-23	0 14 1	2 5 7	1 3·764
1923-24	0 13 0	2 2 8	1 4·46
1924-25	0 12 6	2 1 3½	1 5·51
1925-26	0 11 6	1 14 7½	1 6·08
1926-27	0 10 $1\frac{7}{16}$	1 10 11⅔[illegible]	1 5·902
1927-28	0 9 5¾	1 9 3⅓	1 5·93
1928-29	0 9 8⅖	1 9 10⅚	1 5·97
1929-30	0 8 7	1 6 10⅔	1 5·85
1930-31	0 7 6	1 4 0	1 5·78
1931-32	0 7 $11\frac{7}{10}$	1 5 3⅓	1 5·91

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6. Barley (1861)

7. Ragi (1861)

8. Sugar (1861)

9 Tea—average of Pekoe, Souchong and Congou (1871)

10 Ghi (1871)

11. Linseed (1861)

12. Rapeseed (1861)

13 Sesamum (til or jinjili seed) (1861)

14. Poppy seed (1861)

15 Castor Oil (1861)

16. Jute, raw—average of picked and ordinary (1911)

17. Jute—gunny bags (1861)

18. Cotton, raw (1861)

19 Cotton yarn (1874)

20 T. Cloth (1874)

21 Silk, raw (1861)

22 Wool, raw (1861)

23 Hides, raw (1867)

24. Skins, dressed—average of goat and sheep (1860)

25. Coal (1889)

26. Lac, Shell—average of T. N. and A. C. Garnet (1861)

27. Saltpetre (1861)

28. Indigo (1861)

(ii) *Index number for imported articles (11 articles)*

1. Sugar—Mauritius (1870)

2. Salt (1862)

3. Grey shirtings (1861)

4. Grey yarn (1861)

5. Coloured yarn (1861)

6. Silk, raw (1861)

7. Iron (1861)

8. Copper (1861)

9. Spelter (1861)

10. Coal (1865)

11. Kerosene Oil (1888)

APPENDIX B

Sources of the Price Quotations

Article	Price	Station	Source
1 *Rice*—Moonghy (*a*)	Wholesale (mean of two quotations one in January and one in July).	Calcutta	Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report.
„ Ballam	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
„ Ngatsain (*b*)	Ditto	Rangoon	Monthly statement of the Collector of Customs, Rangoon.
Rice	Retail (annual average of 24 fortnightly quotations).	11 selected stations	Half-monthly statement of retail prices of food-grains and salt, furnished by Provincial authorities (*vide* table VII).
2 *Wheat*—Club No. 2	Wholesale (mean of two quotations one in January and one in July).	Calcutta	Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report.
„ Khandwa, Seoni	Ditto	Bombay	Monthly statement of the Commissioner of Customs, Salt and Excise, Bombay and that of the Collector of Customs, Bombay, since July 1921.
„ Delhi, No. 1 white Pessy	Ditto	Ditto	Bombay Chamber's current quotations.
Wheat	Retail (Annual average of 24 fortnightly quotations.)	* 17 selected stations	Half-monthly statement of retail prices of food-grains and salt, furnished by Provincial authorities (*vide* table VII).
3 *Jowar*	Ditto	15 Ditto	Ditto ditto
4 *Bajra*	Ditto	12 Ditto	Ditto ditto.
5 *Gram*	Ditto	10 Ditto	Ditto ditto.
6 *Barley*	Ditto	7 Ditto	Ditto ditto.
7 *Ragi*	Ditto	3 Ditto	Ditto ditto.
8 *Sugar*—Dulloah (*c*)	Wholesale (mean of two quotations one in January and one in July).	Calcutta	Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report and "Capital."
„ raw (cane jaggery)	Ditto	Madras	Madras prices-current and Market Report and the weekly statement of the Secretary, Sugar Bureau, Pusa, from 1925 to March 1931. Sugar Technologist, Cawnpore, from April 1931.
9 *Tea*—Pekoe (*d*)	Ditto	Calcutta	Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report.
„ Souchong (*e*)	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
„ Congou (*f*)	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
10 *Ghi*	Wholesale in January	Ditto	Annual statement from the Director of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal, up to 1909 and since then specially obtained from the Bengal Chamber of Commerce.
11 *Linseed*—bold 3 per cent. (*g*)	Wholesale (mean of two quotations one in January and one in July).	Ditto	Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report.
„ bold	Ditto	Bombay	Bombay Chamber's current quotations.
12 *Rapeseed*—Yellow, mixed 4 per cent., Cawnpore (for 1894 and 1895 "Brown 4 per cent.") and "Brown 5 per cent." from July 1912.	Ditto	Calcutta	Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report up to 1930. Later quotations specially obtained from a Calcutta firm.
13 *Sesamum* or *Tilseed* (black, small).	Ditto	Ditto Bombay (from July 1931).	The prices for the years 1885, 1887, 1888 and 1891 to 1893 are from Bombay Chamber's current quotations, and the rest from Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report. From July 1931, the Bombay Chamber of Commerce is supplying quotations.
14 *Poppyseed*	Ditto	Calcutta	Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report.
15 *Castor oil*—No. 1, fine pale (*h*)	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
16 *Jute*, raw (C. C.) (*i*)	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
„ ordinary (*j*)	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
17 *Jute*—Gunny Bags (*k*)	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
18 *Cotton*, raw (Broach)	Ditto	Bombay	Bombay Chamber's current quotations.

* 15 selected stations from 1915.

(*a*) Raree, uncleaned from 1923.
(*b*) Average of Ngatsain and Ngakyank, special quality, since 1919.
(*c*) 'Dello' from July 1905.
(*d*) 'Pekoe-ordinary, good to fine liquor,' from July 1903 and Fair (Assam) Pekoe from 1912.
(*e*) 'Pekoe Souchong, even black to grey, useful liquor,' from July 1903 and Fair (Assam) Pekoe Souchong from 1912.
(*f*) 'Pekoe Souchong, black to grey, thin liquor,' from July 1903 and Fair (Cachar and Sylhet) Pekoe Souchong from 1912.
(*g*) 'Small to medium,' from 1922, and 'small grain' from July 1925.
(*h*) 'Fair first' from July 1903 to 1915.
(*i*) 'C. D. M. & Co. (red) group (spot)' from July 1903 and 'Bold' from 1922.
(*j*) Group from 1884 and 'First Grade' from 1922.
(*k*) No. 2 Twill, 44" x 16½" up to July 1909, and A. T. bags, hemmed, 2¼ lbs.—44" x 26½" from 1910 up to 1927, and A. T. bags, hemmed 2¼ lbs —44" x 26½" from 1928.

APPENDIX B—*concld.*

Sources of the Price Quotations—concld.

No.	Article	Price	Station	Source
19	*Cotton*—Yarn 20s.	Wholesale (mean of two quotations one in January and one in July)	Bombay	Bombay Millowners' current quotations of 'Local' made piece-goods and yarns
20	" T. cloth, 44" × 24 yds 8 lbs	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto ditto
21	*Silk*, raw—European filature or Cossimbazar*, filature silk, 12-16 Deniers from 1928.	Ditto	Calcutta (up to 1927) Malda (1928 to 1930) Beldanga (from 1931)	Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report up to 1927 Bengal Co-operative Silk Union from 1928 to 1930 From 1931, Department of Agriculture, Government of Bengal.
22	*Wool*, raw—Khorasan	Ditto	Bombay	Bombay Market Report and Trade Journal.
22	" " (a)	Ditto	Karachi	Karachi price-current and Market Report.
23	*Hides*, raw	Declared export value for official year.	Bengal	Annual Sea borne Trade Accounts
24	*Skins, dressed*—Goat	*Wholesale (mean of two* quotations one in January and one in July)	*Madras*	*Madras price-current and Market* Report and the weekly statement of the Collector of Customs, Madras.
24	" " Sheep	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
25	*Coal*—Bengal	Wholesale (mean of two quotations one in April and one in October).	Calcutta	Bengal Coal Company, Limited
26	*Lac*, shell—1st orange (b)	Wholesale (mean of two quotations one in January and one in July)	Ditto	Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report.
26	" " 2nd orange (mud dling) (c).	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
27	*Saltpetre*	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
28	*Indigo*—('good' up to 1885 and from 1886 'good, middling to good')	Ditto	Ditto	Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report and the *Indian Trade Journal*
29	*Sugar*—Mauritius, No 1 (d)	Ditto	Bombay	Monthly statement of the Commissioner of Customs, Salt and Excise, Bombay and that of the Collector of Customs, Bombay, from July, 1921 to 1924 Subsequent prices of sugar taken from the Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report.
29	" Beet	Ditto	Calcutta	Figures for 1892-98 are from the Commercial Supplement to *Capital*, those from 1899 to 1914 are from Calcutta prices current and Money Market Report and from "Capital" since 1925.
30	*Salt*	Wholesale (excluding duty, average for official year up to 1898 and since then for calendar year)	Ditto	Annual statement from the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, up to 1903 04 and since then up to 1915 specially obtained from the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, the figures from 1916 compiled from the Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report.
31	*Cotton*—Grey shirtings (8 to 9 lb.)	Wholesale (mean of two quotations one in January and one in July).	Ditto	Calcutta prices current and Money Market Report and "*Capital*."
32	" Grey yarn, Banner Mill, 10 lb. (e).	Ditto	Ditto	Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report.
33	" Coloured yarn, (orange 60s to 40s).	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
34	*Silk*, raw—Canton, No. 5 (f)	Ditto	Bombay	Monthly statement of the Commissioner of Customs, Salt, and Excise, Bombay and that of the Collector of Customs, Bombay, since July 1921.
35	*Metals*—Iron, flat, bolt, bar and square. (g)	Ditto	Calcutta	Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report
36	" Copper, braziers	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
37	" Spelter, hard	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
38	*Coal*—Welsh Hartley up to 1898 and Powell's Duffryn from 1899 (h)	Ditto	Bombay	Bombay Market Report and Trade Journal from 1895 to 1917. Annual Sea borne Trade Accounts from 1918 to 1921 and the Bombay Chamber's current quotations from 1922.
39	*Kerosene oil*—American Chester	Ditto	Calcutta	Calcutta prices-current and Money Market Report.

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